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Containing the Freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtic.

JOSEPH STANSBURY,
At his STORE, oppoſite CHRIST-CHURCH, in Second-ſtreet,
HATH ON SALE,

LOOKING-GLASSES, from 14l. to 3l. each, ſome of them highly finiſhed, in oval frames, carved and gilt.

CHINA. Bowls from two gallons to half a pint; compleat dining-table ſetts; enamelled and pencilled tea-table ſſetts; ſoop tureens, 2 ſizes; diſhes of all ſorts and ſizes; cream tureens, 2 ſizes; table and deſert plates; pattipans, in ſizes; pickle ſaucers, tea pots, ſugar diſhes, cream pots, coffee pots, and ſauce boats; muſtard pots; pickle leaves; ſquares, for a deſert ſervice; tea, coffee, and chocolate cups, handled and plain.

ORNAMENTAL CHINA. Jams and beakers, myrtle pots, chimney vaſes, images of all ſorts and ſizes, ſome uncoloured and unglazed.

JAPANNED CABINETS. Dreſſing boxes, in fans, ſnuff-boxes, tea tongs, tea trays, waiters, bottle ſtands or coaſters, fire ſcreens, various trinkets.

GLASS. Cut candleſticks, decanters, waſh tumblers, wine glaſſes, bitter bottles, tumblers, ſallad diſhes, ſweet meats, ſweet-water bottles, butter tubs, and ſugar diſhes; a general aſſortment of common glaſs wares, ſheet glaſs in crates, window glaſs 9 by 7, 10 by 8, 11 by 9, 18 by 13, 17 by 12½, crates of ſorted phials, a few Turlington bottles; an aſſortment of apothecaries furniture, marble and glaſs mortars, ſeparating and common funnels, ointment and pill pots, ſhop tiles, gallipots, ſpecie bottles, retorts, boltheads, alembicks, nipple ſhells, ſteek ſtones, tubes for barometers, magneſs, madder, pipes in boxes, cruit frames, from 4l. 10s. to 7s. 6d. each; guns, from 5l. 10s. to 27s. each; piſtols, 50s. a pair; Pinchbeck buckles, plated tankards, ſpurs, and buckles; Pinchbeck and ſteel watch chains; ſeals, of a new compoſition, yielding impreſſions equal to the true antiques; common black quart bottles; bottles of this country pattern, which hold a full quart.

An extenſive Aſſortment of all kinds of EARTHEN WARES, as plain and enamelled Queen's ware; plain, enamelled and blue and white ſtone wares; tortoiſeſhell, black, and colliflowered Dutch ſtone and Briſtol ſtone wares; jugs from 5 gallons to a pint; crates of yellow diſhes and porringers; delft, checquered, and Portobello wares, red and brown China, Egyptian China, after Etruſcan models; curious pocket bibles, at 45s. each; black lead pencils, &c. &c. &c. Moſt of which will be ſold very low for ready money.

TO BE SOLD,

FOUR Hundred ACRES of LAND, on Pond Run, in Burlington County, 3 miles from Trenton (60 acres cleared, and 60 capable of being made good meadow) with a log houſe and barn thereon. This tract will be divided if required. Alſo a plantation, on Shabbakunk creek, in Hunterdon county, 2 miles from Trenton, having a frame houſe and barn, and a good bearing orchard thereon; on this tract 50 acres are cleared and in good fence, and 20 acres of improved meadow, and more may be made. Likewiſe 315 acres of woodland, lying in Suſſex county, New-Jerſey, near Muſkonetcunk river. For terms, apply to

Trenton, Dec. 10, 1774. 3M. ACHSAH LAMBERT.

TO BE SOLD,

THAT noted and well-accuſtomed TAVERN, known by the name of the Sign of the Waggon, on the great provincial road leading from Philadelphia to Lancaſter, 41 miles from the former and 25 miles from the latter, together with the plantation, and all the buildings thereunto belonging; the dwelling-houſe is built of ſtone, about 45 feet long and 30 wide, and all cellared, with two good arched vaults in it; there is an excellent orchard, ſufficient to ſupply the houſe with the beſt of cyder, about 30 acres of the land cleared, and the reſt well timbered and watered, as it commands Brandywine creek near a mile, where there is near 80 feet fall, therefore very convenient for any kind of water works, and a forge would be very convenient, as there are two furnaces within 12 miles of the place, and timber plenty and convenient. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe the ſame, are deſired to apply to the ſubſcriber, where the conditions ſhall be made known, and the purchaſer may enter on the premiſes the firſt of May next, or ſooner if agreed on. The title for the land is indiſputable. CALEB WAY, junior. ¶

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE plantation or tract of land, ſituate in the townſhip of Warrington, Bucks county, containing 180 acres, with a good dwelling ſtone houſe, with 4 rooms on a floor, and a good frame barn, with a cow-houſe and ſtable, alſo a good bearing orchard, about 15 acres of good meadow, and more may be made, with a never-failing ſpring of good water near the door, about 80 acres of good timber land on the ſaid premiſes; the whole in good tenantable repair; bounded on the one ſide by the county line, and by lands of James Dunlap, George Shoemaker, and Thomas Richey. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may know the terms of ſale, by applying to MATTHEW HINES, or CORNELIUS SHIVERS, living on the premiſes. The title indiſputable.

And likewiſe, a valuable plantation or tract of land, ſituate in the townſhip of Buckingham, containing 127 acres and 147 perches, with allowance, with a good dwelling log houſe and log barn, ſtable, and barracks; there are about 9 acres of good meadow, and as much more may be made; there are two never-failing ſprings of good water on ſaid premiſes; the whole well timbered, and in good tenantable repair. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe, may know the terms, by applying to WILLIAM SIMPSON, living on the ſaid premiſes. ¶ 7ſ6.

TO BE SOLD,

THE TAVERN, known by the name of the White Horſe, at the Fork of the Old York Road and the Governor's (or Horſham) Road, in the Manor of Moreland, 14 miles from Philadelphia Court-houſe, now in the tenure of James Lloyd, with 14 acres of land, on which is a good orchard, meadow, ſtables, ſheds, waggon-houſes, &c. ſuitable for a tavern.

To be ſold, adjoining the above, a plantation, containing near 80 acres of land, on which are two good ſtone houſes and ſhop, barn and ſpring-houſe; an orchard and near 20 acres of meadow, moſt of which is and may be watered; 20 acres of woodland, the remainder cleared, and moſtly limed. This place is ſuitable for a tradeſman, particularly for a hatter, as that trade has been carried on there for ſeveral years.

To be ſold, near the above, 50 acres of land, half of which is woodland, the other half cleared. For further particulars and terms of ſale, apply to the ſubſcriber, on the premiſes.

¶ WILLIAM SHOEMAKER.

PHILADELPHIA.
IN ASSEMBLY.

December 10, 1774. A. M.

THE Houſe, taking into conſideration the report of the Committee appointed to attend the General Congreſs, and the papers therein referred to,

Reſolved Unanimouſly,

THAT this Houſe approve the proceedings and reſolves of the Congreſs, and do moſt ſeriouſly recommend to the good people of this province a ſtrict attention to, and inviolable obſervation of, the ſeveral matters and things contained in the Journal of the ſaid Congreſs.

On Motion, Ordered,

THAT the above reſolution be immediately made public.

Extract from the Journals,
CHARLES MOORE, Clerk of Aſſembly.

Committee Chamber, Dec. 6, 1774.

THE Committee taking into conſideration the *tenth* article of the Aſſociation of the General Congreſs, do unanimouſly reſolve, that the ſaid article requires the opening of all packages of goods, imported after the *firſt* day of *December*, and before the *firſt* of *February*; but at the ſame time, the Committee intending that the ſale of ſuch goods ſhall be conducted with as little inconvenience as is conſiſtent with the ſaid Aſſociation,

Reſolved, That though all bales and packages delivered to the Committee for ſale, muſt be opened, yet that the goods ſhall be ſold in lots or parcels; and that ſuch ſales ſhall be made by the City Vendue Maſter, under the direction of the Committee.

Reſolved, That in diſpoſing of goods in lots or parcels, no lot ſhall be made of leſs value upon the ſterling invoice than 3l. nor of any greater than 15l. except in the former caſe, where an entire package is of leſs value than 3l. and in the latter, where the value of any ſingle piece ſhall exceed 15l.

Reſolved, That ſalt and coal, imported from Great-Britain or Ireland, may be ſold at public Vendue by the cargoe, or ſmaller quantity, at the election of the owner or conſignee, under the direction of the Committee; and that a freight of Nine-pence per buſhel ſhall be allowed on all kinds of ſalt imported as aforeſaid; and a freight of Twelve-pence per buſhel on all coal imported as aforeſaid.

Reſolved, That it is expected all importers of goods, after the *firſt* of *December*, do apply to the Committee of the diſtrict where the veſſel ſo importing has arrived, and make their election of ſending back, ſtoring or ſelling all ſuch goods; for which purpoſe, the ſaid Committee will attend at the Coffee-Houſe every day, from ten till one o'clock.

The Committee alſo recommend to all importers of goods a peruſal of, and attention to, the *eleventh* article of the General Congreſs, viz. "That a Committee be choſen in every county, city and town, by thoſe who are qualified to vote for Repreſentatives in the Legiſlature, whoſe buſineſs it ſhall be, attentively to obſerve the conduct of all perſons touching this aſſociation: And when it ſhall be made to appear to the ſatisfaction of a majority of any ſuch Committee, that any perſon within the limits of their appointment has violated this aſſociation, that ſuch majority do forthwith cauſe the truth of the caſe to be publiſhed in the Gazette, to the end that all ſuch foes to the rights of Britiſh America may be publicly known, and univerſally contemned as the enemies of American Liberty: And thenceforth we reſpectively will break off all dealings with him or her."

By Order of the Committee,
JACOB RUSH, *pro temp.* Secretary.

By the Captains SHAYLER and BRUCE, arrived at Salem from London, and Capt. ROBINSON, arrived at New-York from Dublin, we have the following Advices.

The Speech of EDMUND BURKE, *Eſq; on occaſion of offering himſelf a Candidate to repreſent the City of Briſtol in Parliament, delivered from the Huſtings, October 16.*

GENTLEMEN,

I AM come hither to ſolicit in perſon that favour, which my friends have hitherto endeavoured to procure for me, by the moſt obliging, and to me the moſt honourable exertions,

I have ſo high an opinion of the great truſt which you have to confer on this occaſion, and by long experience, ſo juſt a diffidence in my abilities to fill it in a manner adequate even to my own ideas, that I ſhould never have ventured of myſelf to intrude into that awful ſituation. But ſince I am called upon by the deſire of ſeveral reſpectable fellow-ſubjects, as I have done at other times, I give up my fears to their wiſhes. Whatever my other deficiencies may be, I do not know what it is to be wanting to my friends.

I am not fond of attempting to raiſe public expectation by great promiſes. At this time there is much cauſe to conſider, and very little to preſume. We ſeem to be approaching to a great criſis in our affairs, which calls for the whole wiſdom of the wiſeſt among us, without being able to aſſure ourſelves that any wiſdom can preſerve us from many and great inconveniencies. You know I ſpeak of our unhappy conteſt with America. I confeſs it is a matter on which I look down as from a precipice. It is difficult in itſelf, and it is rendered more intricate by a great variety of plans of conduct. I do not mean to enter into them. I will not ſuſpect a want of good intention in forming them. But how pure the intentions of their authors may have been, we all know that event has been unfortunate. The means of recovering our affairs are not obvious. So many great queſtions of commerce, of finance, of conſtitution, and of policy, are involved in this American deliberation, that I dare engage for nothing, but that I ſhall give it, without any predilection to former opinions, or any ſiniſter bias whatſoever, the honeſt and impartial conſideration of which I am capable. The public has a full right to it, and this great city, a main pillar in the commercial intereſt of Great-Britain, muſt totter on its baſe by the ſlighteſt miſtake, with regard to our American meaſures. Thus much, however, I think it not amiſs to lay before you, that I am not, I hope, apt to take up or lay down my opinions lightly. I have held, and ever ſhall maintain, to the beſt of my power, unimpaired and undiminiſhed, the juſt, wiſe, and neceſſary conſtitutional ſuperiority of Great-Britain. This is neceſſary for America, as well as for us. I never mean to depart from it. Whatever may be loſt by it, I avow it. The forfeiture even of your favour, if by ſuch a declaration I could forfeit it, though the firſt object of my ambition, never will make me diſguiſe my ſentiments on this ſubject.

But I have ever had a clear opinion, and have ever held a conſtant correſpondent conduct, that this ſuperiority is conſiſtent with all the liberties a ſober and ſpirited American ought to deſire. I never meant to put any coloniſt, or any human creature, in a ſituation not becoming a free man. To reconcile Britiſh ſuperiority with American liberty ſhall be my great object, as far as my little faculties extend. I am far from thinking that both, even yet, may not be preſerved.

When I firſt devoted myſelf to the public ſervice, I conſidered how I ſhould render myſelf fit for it; and this I did by endeavouring to diſcover what it was that gave this country the rank it holds in the world; I found that our power and dignity aroſe principally, if not ſolely, from two ſources; our conſtitution and commerce. Both theſe I have ſpared no ſtudy to underſtand, and no endeavour to ſupport.

The diſtinguiſhing part of our conſtitution is its liberty. To preſerve that liberty inviolate ſeems the particular duty and proper truſt of a member of the Houſe of Commons. But the liberty, the only liberty I mean, is a liberty connected with order; that not only exiſts along with order and virtue, but which cannot exiſt at all without them. It inheres in good and ſteady government, as in its ſubſtance and vital principle.

The other ſource of our power is commerce, of which you are ſo large a part, and which cannot exiſt, no more than your liberty, without a connection with many virtues. It has ever been a very particular and a very favourite object of my ſtudy, in its principles and its details. I think many here are acquainted with the truth of what I ſay. This I know, that I have ever had my houſe open, and my poor ſervices ready for traders and manufacturers of every denomination. My favourite ambition is to have thoſe ſervices acknowledged. I now appear before you to make trial, whether my earneſt endeavours have been ſo wholly oppreſſed by the weakneſs of my abilities, as to be rendered inſignificant in the eyes of a great trading city; or whether you chooſe to give weight to humble abilities, for the ſake of the honeſt exertions with which they are accompanied. This is my trial to-day. My induſtry is not on trial; of my induſtry I am ſure, as far as my conſtitution of mind and body admitted.

When I was invited by many reſpectable merchants, freeholders, and freemen of this city, to offer them my ſervices, I had juſt received the honour of an election at another place, at a very great diſtance from this. I immediately opened the matter to thoſe of my worthy conſtituents who were with me, and they unanimouſly adviſed me not to decline it; that they had elected me with a view to the public ſervice; and that as great queſtions relative to our commerce and colonies were imminent, that in ſuch matters I might derive authority and ſupport from the repreſentation of this great commercial city; they deſired me therefore to ſet off without delay, very well perſuaded that I never could forget my obligations to them or to my friends, for the choice they have made of me. From that time to this inſtant I have not ſlept, and if I ſhould have the honour of being freely choſen by you, I hope I ſhall be as far from ſlumbering or ſleeping when your ſervice requires to be awake, as I have been in coming to offer myſelf a candidate for your favour."

UTRECHT, Sept. 28.

LETTERS from Rome, dated the 10th of this month mention, that on the ſame day the Pope, in returning from church, was taken ſo very ill, that his attendants were obliged to take his Holineſs out of his coach, and carry him into his chamber. Theſe letters add, that his Holineſs is looked upon to be in a very dangerous way, becauſe the foreign Miniſters, and particularly thoſe from the Courts of France, Spain, Naples, and Parma, ſend regularly every three hours, to enquire after the ſtate of his health.

Conſtantinople, Sept. 3. The Grand Viſir will go from hence the 7th inſtant, and the Grand Signor the 8th, to receive the ſtandard of Mahomet, which will be carried to the Seraglio that day.

Peterſburgh, Sept. 13. The General in Chief, Prince de Repnin, ſet out laſt Saturday for the army of the Field Marſhal Count de Romanzow, who is, it is ſaid, ſo dangerouſly ill, that it is feared he cannot recover. It is aſſured that all the officers, that had returned here after the ſignature of the peace, have received orders to repair to their colours.

Warſaw, Sept. 24. We now flatter ourſelves that this kingdom will at laſt begin to enjoy that tranquility and order, of which it has been deprived for many years. Theſe hopes are founded upon Count Braniki having brought favourable news from Peterſburgh, and magnates, who had declared themſelves againſt the King, have been obliged to aſk pardon. The grand affair of the

limitation of the frontiers, it is thought, will ſoon be regulated; for we hear that the Courts of Vienna and Peterſburgh have declared that they will keep ſtrictly to the tenor of the treaty of partition.

The greateſt part of the Ruſſian army has entered into winter quarters. Count Romanzow has obtained indigenat of Poland, and the enſigns of the different orders of that kingdom.

Rome, Sept. 22. The day before the Pope's death all the Cardinals went according to cuſtom to the Quirinal; but only the Cardinals Malvezzi and Palatini were admitted into his Holineſs's chamber, when they interceded with his Holineſs upon their knees, begged he would declare the names of the eleven Cardinals he had reſerved in petto, but his Holineſs abſolutely refuſed them. At one in the morning the Pope was ſeized with the agonies of death, upon which all the Cardinals left him, and he was attended only by the General of his order, and the Mineurs Obſervants, who ſtaid with him till his deceaſe. Cardinal Stopani lies at the point of death.

Sept. 25. The late Pope, before his death, had eſtabliſhed for ever by a bull, the order of the Cordeliers to replace the Jeſuits in the functions of Grand Penitentiaries at St. Peter's; and has aſſigned them very conſiderable appointments.

Bologna, Sept. 17. We are greatly affected here by the accounts from Rome, which ſay, that on the body of the late Pope being opened, his bowels were found in great part corroded, and that all the nails of his fingers and toes fell off. Theſe circumſtances give room for reflections the more ſerious, as it is added that the pontiff's taſter is actually dying with all the ſymptoms of the malady that carried off the holy father.

P. S. It is juſt now reported, that no Ex-Jeſuit is permitted to leave Rome, where the caſtle of St. Angelo is ſurrounded by foreign troops, who will not ſuffer any perſon either to go in or out.

Hague, Oct. 11. Accounts from Rome mention, that the death of the Pope happening while things are in their preſent ſituation, cannot fail of having ſome influence on the affairs of Europe. It is remarkable that the Jeſuits predicted the demiſe of his Holineſs, and many people imagine they have found means to verify their prediction; but whether they will be benefited or not by his death, time only will ſhew.

Amſterdam, Oct. 9. In the Dutch Eaſt Indiaman, called the Burcht, that has been found abandoned at ſea, and brought into Japan by ſome fiſhermen, has been found a cheſt containing the papers of the Eaſt India company, and among them ſome ſecret ones that have given much ſuſpicion and diſſatisfaction to the Emperor of Japan, which makes us fear for a breach and declaration of war with the Japaneſe; and it is from that apprehenſion that the ſhips deſtined from Batavia to the Cape for proviſion and otherwiſe are countermanded.

Peterſburgh, Sept. 23. An Officer arrived here on Wedneſday laſt from Colonel Michelſon, who has been for ſome time in purſuit of Pugatſcheff, with an account of his having come up with his corps between Carycyn and Aſtracan, and that he had attacked and defeated him, taking his ammunition, cannon and magazines; but that Pugatſcheff had found means to eſcape. The officer, who brought this news to the empreſs, was immediately raiſed to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel.

L O N D O N.

Oct. 12. A detachment of marines of the Chatham diviſion, conſiſting of one hundred and fifty men, excluſive of Officers, among whom is Major Pitcairn, is ordered to march from thence to Portſmouth, to be embarked in the ſhips now fitting out at that port for Boſton.

A letter from Portſmouth, dated October 13, ſays, "Orders are come down for the Aſia of 64 guns, Scarborough frigate, and Falkland ſloop of war, to proceed to Boſton as ſoon as poſſible; and on account of Captain Chads, who is Captain of the Scarborough, being rather infirm with the gout, another Captain is appointed in his room, to proceed on the voyage. Orders came down laſt night for 300 marines to get themſelves in readineſs to embark for America, and for 300 from Plymouth; likewiſe the Raiſonable, Somerſet, and a frigate, to get in readineſs for the ſame place."

It is reported that there are more ſhips contracted for by Government, and now building in merchants yards at different parts in this kingdom, than ever was known at one time.

Twenty cutters are ordered to be got ready for ſea, they are in the ſpring to be ſtationed on the coaſt of North America.

It is alſo ſaid Counter Orders have been ſent to Ireland reſpecting the troops that were ordered for embarkation for Boſton, and it is ſaid no more will be ſent till after the meeting of the new Parliament.

Oct. 15. At the *final* cloſe of the poll this day at Guildhall, for members to repreſent this city in parliament, the numbers ſtood as follow:

Sawbridge	3449	Baker	2082
Haley	3390	Croſby	1913
Oliver	3354	Roberts	1391
Lord Mayor	3096		

Oct. 18. Orders are ſent to Woolwich for a quantity of all ſorts of military ſtores to be got in readineſs to be ſhipped for North-America.

This morning a Common-hall was held for the purpoſe of the Sheriffs declaring the numbers upon the late poll for members of this city; which being proclaimed, Meſſ. Sawbridge, Haley, Oliver and Bull, were returned as the four members in the enſuing parliament.

The ſucceſsful candidates (the Lord Mayor beginning, and Mr. Haley concluding) then ſeverally thanked the livery for the honour conferred upon them, profeſſing to perſevere in that line of public conduct and duty which had firſt recommended them to, and ſecured their ſuffrages, and concluding with repeated aſſurances, that they would in all caſes, and at the riſque of every danger, defend the rights and franchiſes of their fellow citizens in particular, and the liberties and properties of every Britiſh Subject in general.

They were ſucceeded by Mr. Baker, whoſe ſpeech reflected equal honour on his abilities and integrity. It was received with great and deſerved applauſe; after which the Lord Mayor ſtepped forward, and told the livery, "That while he repreſented them in Parliament, he "ſhould think himſelf obliged to ſpeak THEIR ſentiments "and not HIS OWN."

The buſineſs concluded with a motion for thanks to the Sheriffs for their upright, impartial conduct during the poll, which was carried unanimouſly.

Oct. 19. A Nobleman who lately ſet off for Madrid, in order to pay a viſit to that Court, is charged with ſome important hints, which, if properly attended to, is expected to be productive of great advantages to the commercial intereſt of this kingdom.

They write from the Hague, that the King of Pruſſia has lately made ſome extraordinary demands upon the States of Holland, which has been the cauſe of holding ſeveral councils; but the ſubject matter has not yet tranſpired.

An Engliſh merchant at Liſbon writes thus to his correſpondent in London: "This Court and that of Spain ſeem as if they could not tell whether to quarrel or to keep the peace. We have no more favour ſhewn us than formerly, and I am inclined to think that theſe powers are not farther in earneſt, than to try how far your Court would act upon the occaſion."

Oct. 20. A General Officer, we hear, has refuſed to reſume his command in a neighbouring kingdom, without an encreaſe of pay.

Letters from Spain mention, orders are received in all the ſea-ports of that kingdom for fitting out a ſecond fleet for America with the utmoſt expedition.

Yeſterday Captain JONES *arrived here from Briſtol, by whom we have the following Advices.*

L I S B O N, *September* 13.

CAPTAIN John Moutry, commander of the Engliſh frigate the Thames, arrived here laſt week, has declared that the differences between the Engliſh and the Algerines were come to ſuch a paſs, that the Engliſh merchants at Algiers had left that place, by the advice of Admiral Dennis; and that all the merchant ſhips in the Mediterranean were conveyed by the ſaid Admiral's ſquadron as far as Cape St. Vincent.

L O N D O N.

Oct. 13. The advices brought by the Scarborough man of war are now no longer a ſecret; ſeveral private letters being received ſince that time, which gave the ſame information, and which is confirmed by letters brought yeſterday by the mail from New-York. By theſe advices we find, that affairs with the Americans were then in extreme confuſion; the Sheriffs and other officers of juſtice have been made to ſign a declaration not to take part in any way whatever in carrying the late acts into execution: The lawyers are directed, by notices fixed on their doors, not to meet the judges on buſineſs upon pain of death; and the parties ſummoned upon juries have refuſed to take the neceſſary oaths; ſo that the courſe of juſtice was in every reſpect at a ſtand. Add to theſe, an officer of diſtinguiſhed character, who left England ſome time ago, not being able to get a regiment, appears openly, and not only diſſuades the Americans from any obedience to the late laws, but adviſes them to maintain their rights by force of arms, offering, in that caſe, to head them himſelf. It is but juſtice to the people in this country to apprize them that their fellow-ſubjects in America, particularly in the Maſſachuſetts province, are in no leſs than a ſtate of rebellion. It has been found neceſſary, in conſequence of the above advices, to order an addition to the ſhips to be ſent from Portſmouth and Plymouth to join the Admiral at Boſton, and in which will be carried as many land forces as they can take in, over and above their complement.

Oct. 15. On the cloſe of the poll, on Wedneſday laſt, for the county of Hereford, the numbers were, for Thomas Foley, Eſq; 1415, Sir George Cornewall 1271, Thomas Harley, Eſq; 887.

Mr. Alderman Harley's attempt to gain a ſeat in the new Parliament, for the county of Hereford, having proved unſucceſsful, we are poſitively aſſured that he means to offer his ſervice for the county of Middleſex.

The people were ſo enraged at Hereford with Alderman Harley, that they burnt his coach.

The cavalcade of freeholders, which eſcorted Sir Joſeph Mawbey on Thurſday to Epſom, extended a mile and a half in length.

Friday laſt Henry Fownes Luttrell, Eſq; and his ſon, were elected members for Minehead.

A correſpondent aſſures us, that notwithſtanding the various cauſes aſſigned *for the* ſudden death *of the late Parliament—that it died* rotten *of the* King's Evil.

We hear it has been debated in Council, whether or no a certain Commander in Chief ſhould not be recalled, for having ſo long delayed to put in execution his full powers.

Yeſterday in the afternoon arrived from Paris, at his houſe at Cane-Wood, the Right Honourable Lord Mansfield.

Oct. 18. By authentic letters from Rome, we are aſſured the late Pope was poiſoned by the influence of the Jeſuits, againſt which ſociety he has diſtinguiſhed himſelf in a very ſevere manner.

We are informed that Lord Mansfield ſpent the greateſt part of the day yeſterday with his Majeſty at Kew palace.

Many people cenſure the K— for the American buſineſs; he certainly does not act himſelf, but does implicitly as he is bid; but when Monarchs are ſo dictated to, and thoſe councils prove detrimental to public good, does it not behove the people to enquire into the machinations of thoſe, who are the conductors of ſuch baſe matters?

There is not a continental countenance but what has a belligerant look, by every proſtituted ſubmiſſion; it is not believed that a war can be kept off above ſix months more.

The Aſia, Boyne and Somerſet, ſhips of the line, with the Hind and Scarbro' frigates, are ordered to New-York with troops. But that ſervice is now become ſo irkſome and repugnant to the feelings and diſpoſitions of Engliſhmen, that many of the Officers have written to be ſuperceded in conſequence of the diſagreeable duty they are appointed to.

One hundred thouſand pounds, it it computed, will not defray the expences government, or the public, hath already been at, in their endeavour to ſubject the Americans, and yet they ſeem juſt where they were.

It is now determined to ſend a very conſiderable force, as well of ſhips as men, to Boſton; and it is ſettled that General Gage is to enforce the Americans to obedience.

The Marines under orders for Boſton are to be diſembarked there, and to act in conjunction with the land forces.

Oct. 20. This morning, about 8 o'clock, a great number of freeholders of Middleſex, purſuant to advertiſement, met John Wilkes and John Glynn Eſqrs. at the Manſion-houſe, from whence a cavalcade ſoon after ſet out for Brentford, in the following order:

Two flags, with French-horns, and upwards of one hundred freeholders on horſeback, preceded the Lord Mayor's coach, drawn by ſix horſes, in which were the Candidates and his Lordſhip. This was followed by between fifty and ſixty coaches and poſt chaiſes, and theſe were joined at Hyde-park corner by a great number of other carriages from different parts of Weſtminſter.

At eleven o'clock the proceſſion arrived, amidſt the loudeſt acclamations, at the huſtings at Brentford, when John Wilkes and John Glynn, Eſqrs. being nominated as fit and proper perſons to repreſent the county of Middleſex in the enſuing parliament, they were unanimouſly elected, without any oppoſition. Theſe gentlemen afterwards addreſſed the freeholders in excellent ſpeeches. John Wilkes, Eſq; was chaired, but Serjeant Glynn begged to decline that honour, on account of his being greatly indiſpoſed with the gout.

Immediately after the election was over the new members, attended by a great number of freeholders, ſet out for Guildford, to attend the election for the county of Surry, which began this day at that place.

The Lords Mountmorres and Mahon were preſent, and after the election made ſpeeches, requeſting the votes and intereſt of thoſe gentlemen preſent, who were electors for the city and liberty of Weſtminſter.

Every thing was conducted with the greateſt order, harmony and decorum.

The following is the addreſs of thanks of Mr. Wilkes and Mr. Glynn.

"GENTLEMEN,

"The honour unanimouſly conferred on us this day, by the important truſt which you have again committed to our charge, calls for the warmeſt acknowledgments. We beg leave to tender them to you, with the affecting ſenſibility of grateful hearts. The ſtrict and ſolemn engagement we have already entered into with you contains the moſt eſſential points of our duty, as well as the moſt ſubſtantial matters, which can be brought into the deliberation of Parliament. We are determined to purſue thoſe great national objects with unremitting diligence and ardour. Your violated rights in particular, and thoſe of the whole body of electors of this kingdom, demand, and ſhall have, our firſt attention. We will endeavour a full vindication of them, and an adequate ſecurity againſt ſuch flagitious attempts hereafter. We entreat the favour of your inſtructions and kind aſſiſtance, in the diſcharge of the arduous buſineſs we now undertake as your repreſentatives, and we aſſure you of the utmoſt deference on all occaſions to the ſentiments of our worthy conſtituents. We are, Gentlemen under increaſing obligations, Your faithful and obedient humble ſervants,

Brentford, Oct. 20, 1774. JOHN WILKES, JOHN GLYNN.

Oct. 22. An order of the council, dated the 19th inſt. is publiſhed in this night's Gazette, prohibiting the exportation of gun-powder and arms, from any part of the kingdom.

At the *final* cloſe of the poll, laſt Tueſday afternoon, for Members of Parliament for Worceſter, the numbers ſtood as follow:

For Mr. Rous	981
Mr. Walſh	893
Sir W. Lewes	736
Mr. Bearcroft	312

whereupon Mr. Rous and Mr. Walſh were declared duly elected, but they were not chaired till yeſterday. Sir Watkin, immediately after a declaration of the numbers, proteſted againſt the return, and declared he would bring the election before a ſuperior tribunal.—As ſoon as he came out of the Hall he was chaired, and carried through the principal ſtreets in the uſual form. The chair wherein he was carried is really the ſame in which king Alfred was crowned; the back whereof was labelled with a Latin inſcription, thus engliſhed:

Behold a rude Chair, made in virtuous Days, before Luxury, Corruption, and the Treaſures of the Eaſt, had vitiated the Hearts of Men. A Throne, which our Alfred at once filled and adorned, when he was crowned at Winchеſter. Alfred, the Founder of the Britiſh Laws, the Scourge of his Enemies, and the Father of his faithful People; who held it ſacred that the Liberties of his People ſhould be as free and unconſtrained as the Thoughts of the Human Mind.—In modern Times alſo, after many Struggles and Difficulties, Sir Watkin Lewes, the Reſtorer of the Freedom of Election, the Scourge of Corruption, and the Father of the FAITHFUL CITY, *covered with Laurels, filled this Chair, The Thoughts of the Human Mind being not more free than the Suffrages of the Citizens of Worceſter; thoſe Suffrages, which chearfully and voluntarily they beſtowed on their Defender.*

Heads of Sir WATKIN LEWES's SPEECH, *at the final Cloſe of the Poll.*

"GENTLEMEN,—I offered my ſervices in conſequence of being called upon by almoſt an unanimous nomination of two reſpectable and numerous meetings, convened in the cities of London and Worceſter, for the purpoſe of conſidering of perſons to repreſent this city in Parliament.

"The great encouragement I received afterwards on my canvaſs, gave me the ſtrongeſt aſſurances of ſucceſs, which my moſt ſanguine imagination could flatter me with; but to my aſtoniſhment I have ſeen thoſe very men, who encouraged me to ſtand, come here with ſhameleſs effrontery, and violate their engagements in the face of their fellow-citizens. I felt more concern for the depravity of human nature than for the loſs of my election: Loſs did I ſay? I congratulate you upon your ſucceſs, which muſt be the neceſſary conſequence of an appeal to a ſuperior tribunal, that conſiſts of perſons who are the guardians of your rights and privileges.

"I proteſt againſt the return upon three grounds; *Firſt*, the unjuſtifiable, illegal and corrupt influence made uſe of in the appointment of near three hundred freemen conſtables; not for the preſervation of the peace, but to give a turn to the election.

"*Secondly*, The unconſtitutional interpoſition of a Peer of the realm, in violation of the principles of the conſtitution, and the undue influence exerciſed by him in the election of the Repreſentatives of the people.

"*Thirdly*, The unjuſt, not to ſay partial deciſions of the preſiding officer, in rejecting a great many perſons concerned in a very valuable branch of manufacture, who have the ſtrongeſt legal title to the exerciſe of the franchiſes of this city.

"For theſe and other reaſons, which I ſhall lay before the Houſe of Commons, I PROTEST AGAINST the RETURN."

The reaſon of Mr. Wilkes not being oppoſed in Middleſex, did not ariſe from any remiſſion in the politics of the Cabinet, but from the great cloud threatening themſelves from the other ſide of the Atlantic, which will cut them out work enough this enſuing ſeſſion, without raiſing a freſh ferment at home; that to parody the words of a great ſtateſman, *the rights of the Freeholders of Middleſex are reſtored by the reſiſtance, and the ſpirit of the Americans.*

Oct. 25. At the cloſe of the poll this day at Covent-Garden, for repreſentatives in Parliament for the city and liberty of Weſtminſter, the numbers ſtood as follow:

For Lord Percy	4875
Lord Pelham Clinton	4633
Lord Mountmorres	2491
Lord Mahon	2311
Humphry Cotes, Eſq;	122

The Weſtminſter election will end to-morrow.

Wedneſday Sir Walter Blackett, and Sir Matthew White Ridley, were elected members for New-Caſtle.

Lord Chatham ſtill continues inflexible, notwithſtand-

ing, as it is ſaid, he has within this month had offers to unite himſelf with adminiſtration, that few men in the kingdom would have withſtood.

Wedneſday Sir George Saville, and Mr. Laſcelles were unanimouſly elected members for the county of York.

Alſo, Lord Algernon Percy, and Sir William Middleton, for Northumberland.

Lord Mansfield, we are informed, hath negociated the buſineſs he went on to the Court of France, in ſo compleat a manner, that we may expect to remain in tranquility with France ſome years; the French Monarch having aſſured his Lordſhip, that nothing is more diſtant from his thoughts, than breaking the peace with the Crown of Great-Britain.

A report was yeſterday current, that ſome bad news had arrived from America, which occaſioned the holding a Cabinet-Council; and it is added, that an expreſs was diſpatched from the Admiralty, for the ſhips now fitting out for Boſton to ſail with all poſſible diſpatch.

The Weſt-India Governors have received orders, we hear, to return home immediately, on account of repeated complaints of their inattention and inability.

By a letter received by a merchant in this city from New-York, by way of Ireland, (the ſhip left New-York about the middle of September) the Captain ſays an expreſs was juſt arrived there from Boſton, with an account that there had been an engagement between the troops and the Boſtonians; the troops ſet fire to the town, which was all in flames when the expreſs came away. What gives the greateſt credit to this account is, the entire prohibition of gunpowder, and all ſorts of arms and ammunition.

Notwithſtanding the miniſterial accounts from America are kept a profound ſecret the late embargo on gunpowder proves their fears reſpecting that country to be very great. Great quantities of nitre and ſalt-petre juſt ſhipped, are again diſembarking in conſequence of Saturday night's Gazette.

On Monday night, the 10th inſtant, a party of thoſe deluded people called White-boys, to the number of one hundred and forty, and upwards, well mounted and armed, aſſembled in the town of Freſhford, in Ireland, and proceeded from thence to a place called the Village, near Urlingford, with muſic playing, and horns ſounding, where they were met by a much greater body from the mountains of Ballyſpellan, where they proceeded to the houſe of one Laurence Naugton (Proctor to the Rev. Dr. Cary) whom they took out of his bed, and after ſwearing him, they brought him away to Freſhford, then cut off one of his ears, and buried him up to his chin in earth; in which miſerable ſituation they left him, and he would probably have periſhed, but for the timely aſſiſtance of ſome humane perſons, who relieved him early next morning from his dreadful confinement.

Extract of a Letter from Naples, September 29.

"You will have heard of the death of the Pope, but do not know perhaps that there is every reaſon to believe it was haſtened by the Jeſuits, who poiſoned him in the ſacrament. He himſelf declared his ſuſpicions before he died, and the belief of it is ſo general, even in theſe Catholic countries, that the Miniſters of France and Spain inſiſted on being preſent at the opening of his body, his belly having ſwelled extraordinarily, and being ſtrangely diſcoloured, even before he expired. The corpſe putrified ſo ſuddenly, that the ſurgeons could hardly go thro' the operation; and, as ſoon as they touched the head, the teeth fell out, and all the bones of his body crumbled away. They were forced to embalm the body twice, before they could carry it to St. Peter's; and inſtead of expoſing his face as is uſual, they covered it with wax, and in the tranſport the head ſeparated from the body. His confectioner is dead in a manner little leſs horrid, and with the ſame ſymptoms his Holineſs had.

"The late jeſuits, not content with their diabolical practices, had the impudence and folly to fortel his death, and crouded to Rome, aſking all the way if the Pope was not yet dead."

St. James's, Oct. 24. His Majeſty has been pleaſed to authorize and require Richard Earl of Scarborough, deputy Earl Marſhal of England, to create John Ives the younger, Eſq: a Herald at arms extraordinary, by the name and title of Suffolk Herald.

Briſtol, Oct. 27. State of the poll laſt night.

For Mr. Cruger	3055
Mr. Burk	2277
Mr. Brickdale	2019
L. Clare	245

It is expected that our election will be ended to-morrow, as voters are very ſcarce on each ſide. The poll was never remembered to have held ſo long before; and as to the number of Perſons that have been made free it is almoſt incredible, they being very little ſhort of two thouſand.

B O S T O N, December 5.

In Provincial C O N G R E S S,

Cambridge, December 1, 1774.

WHEREAS, by the rigorous operation of the *Boſton Port Bill*, the metropolis of this province, and the neighbouring town of Charleſtown, have been brought into a moſt diſtreſſed ſtate, many of the inhabitants being deprived of the means of procuring their ſubſiſtance, and reduced to the cruel alternative of quitting their habitations, or of periſhing in them by famine, if they had not been ſupported by the free and generous contributions of our ſiſter-colonies, even from the remoteſt parts of this continent:

Reſolved, That the grateful acknowledgments of this Congreſs be returned to the ſeveral colonies, for having ſo deeply intereſted themſelves in behalf of ſaid towns under their preſent ſufferings in the common cauſe: And that the Congreſs conſider theſe donations, not merely as unexampled acts of benevolence to this province in general, which has alſo greatly ſuffered, and of charity to thoſe towns in particular, but as convincing proofs of the firm attachment of all the colonies to the glorious cauſe of American Liberty, and of their fixed determination to ſupport them in the noble ſtand they are now making for the liberties of themſelves and of all America.

Signed, by order of the Provincial Congreſs,

JOHN HANCOCK, Preſident.

Friday laſt the Provincial Congreſs made choice of the Hon. JOHN HANCOCK, Eſq; the Hon. THOMAS CUSHING, Eſq; Mr. SAMUEL ADAMS, JOHN ADAMS, Eſq; and ROBERT TREAT PAINE, Eſq; as delegates to repreſent this province at the Continental Congreſs, to be held at Philadelphia the 10th of May next.

Laſt Saturday afternoon the Scarborough man of war, which went expreſs from hence to England the beginning of September laſt, returned hither again, with diſpatches for his Excellency the Governor, the contents of which have not tranſpired.—The Scarborough ſailed from Plymouth the 24th of October, and, it is ſaid, three ſhips of the line, viz. the Aſia, Boyne and Somerſet, with the Hind frigate, and Falcon ſloop of war, with 500 marines, on board each of the large ſhips, were to ſail ſoon after for this place.—We are told, that when the above ſhip came away, the elections were nearly compleated, and that there was a large majority of the old Members elected again.

N E W - Y O R K, December 12.

We hear that at a meeting of the General Committee of this city and county, two Sub-Committees were appointed to ſuperintend the ſale of two cargoes of goods arrived here ſince the firſt day of December. And that it was the opinion of the Committee, that all goods, wares and merchandize, enumerated in the firſt article of the Aſſociation of the Continental Congreſs, ſhould be ſubject to the regulations contained in the tenth article.

Laſt week ſeveral parcels of goods were ſold here agreeable to the Aſſociation entered into by the Continental Congreſs; and many more will be diſpoſed of this week in the like manner, as the Lady Gage, Captain Meſnard, that arrived here laſt Friday night, has a tolerable cargoe on board.

Capt. Burke, from Waterford, the 27th of October, Lat. 49, 37, ſpoke with the ſhip Haberdaſher, Capt. French, from St. Kitts for Liverpool, very leaky, being obliged to keep both pumps conſtantly going; and on the 26th of laſt Month, Lat. 37, 47, Long. 67, with a Sloop from Rhode-Iſland for Surrinam, all well on board.

Capt. Bernard ſails this day for Boſton, and has on board, being part of the donations of this City for the poor Inhabitants of Boſton, 180 barrels of Flour, 9 of Pork, and 12 Firkins of Butter; alſo 21 barrels of Wheat and Rye, ſent from the Inhabitants of Marble Town, in Ulſter County.

By Letters from London we learn, That there is more than one Hundred new Members in the preſent Parliament.

As the Poſt came out of Boſton ſome Ships were ſaluting the Admiral in the bay, ſuppoſed to be the line of Battle Ships mentioned under the Boſton Head.

W I L L I A M S B U R G (*Virginia*) *Dec. 1.*

We have it from very good authority, that his Excellency the Governor is on his way to this Capital, having concluded a peace with the ſeveral tribes of Indians that have been at war with us, and taken hoſtages of them for their faithful complying with the terms of it; the principal of which are, that they ſhall totally abandon the lands on this ſide of the Ohio (which river is to be the boundary between them and the white people) and never more take up the hatchet againſt the Engliſh. Thus, in little more than the ſpace of five months, an end is put to a war which portended much trouble and miſchief to the inhabitants on the frontiers, owing to the zeal and good conduct of the Officers and Commanders who went out in their country's defence, and the bravery and perſeverance of all the troops. Our tributes of praiſe are juſtly due to the gallant men that fell, whoſe deaths are a public loſs, and irreparably ſo to their diſtreſſed families and friends; but their Names will be handed down to poſterity with honour——The army was broke up, and many of them had arrived at their reſpective homes.

P H I L A D E L P H I A, December 14.

Extract of a Letter from Boſton, Dec. 5.

"The Scarborough arrived yeſterday from England, with diſpatches for Gen. Gage, the contents of which are not yet known.

"The Captain ſays, three ſhips of 70 guns, and two frigates, ſailed from Plymouth at the ſame time he ſailed from Portſmouth, all for this place. One of the 70 gun ſhips is now coming in."

Captain Jones, from Briſtol, on the 25th ult. in Lat. 38:38, Long. 54, ſpoke the Brig Sally, Captain Gardiner, from Barcelona for this Port, out 6 Weeks.

Committee Chamber, Monday Evening, Dec. 12.

The Committee for the City, Northern Liberties and Southwark, adjourned to Wedneſday Evening, Five o' Clock, at the Philoſophical Society's Hall, of which the Members are deſired to take Notice.

To the Printers of the PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE.

By inſerting the following ſhort Obſervations in your next Paper, you will oblige P. P.

I was much pleaſed to ſee, in one of your late Papers, the Care which the Committee of this City have taken to prevent the Deſtruction of Sheep, they, no doubt, intending thereby to promote the Manufacture of Wool among us; every Step that is taken for the Welfare of my Country gives me Pleaſure, and tho' *perhaps* in general the Woolen Trade might not be altogether ſo expedient *for a Duration* as ſome other Branches, yet, as the Proſpect of Affairs ſtands at preſent, I heartily concur with the Propoſals and Advice given by the Committee on the Occaſion, and will readily agree to purchaſe my next Suit of my own Country Fabrication: *And* as the Increaſe of any Trade, which tends to preſerve our Caſh among ovrſelves, inſtead of ſending it *Abroad* for what we want, whilſt at the ſame Time it does not interfere with or prevent the Culture of our Lands, muſt unavoidably be very beneficial, I would therefore recommend to my Countrymen, a ſerious Conſideration thereof, and *Attention* thereto, for I am perſuaded, and truſt every diſpaſſionate Perſon muſt be convinced, that we have the Elements and Foundation for the Support and *continual Eſtabliſhment* of ſuch Trade within ourſelves; for which End let us apply to and encourage the Manufactures of the various Branches of *Iron, Steel, Glaſs, Copper, Paper, Stone Ware, &c. &c.* which are chiefly produced from the Bowels of our own Ground, and which are *utterly* unneceſſary to be ſent for from Abroad as the *Bread* we eat, or the Shoes we wear; by a due Encouragement of theſe and other Matters from the *Importers, Venders* and *Conſumers* of ſuch Articles, we might *with great Eaſe* preſerve an annual Sum of at leaſt *One Hundred Thouſand Pounds* in this Province alone, the Benefit whereof, when once duly eſtabliſhed, would be ſenſibly felt by every Individual amongſt us: We cannot to be ſure expect the wiſhed Succeſs, unleſs we can nearly imitate or equal the Goods *imported*, in Point of *Price* and *Quality*, wherein I truſt we may in ſome Caſes *excel*: But as *Perfection* in the Arts or Sciences is not acquired all at *once*, let not therefore, I beſeech you, any one who eſteems or values himſelf as the Friend and Well-wiſher of his Country, either in public or private, deſpiſe or refuſe the Purchaſe and Uſe of our *native Goods*, becauſe they may not perhaps be equal in every minute Circumſtance to thoſe which are brought *from afar*; think you, my Brethren, that if this had been the Caſe, the City of *Peterſburgh*, in Ruſſia, altho' founded ſince *Philadelphia*, under abſolute Power, *would* have increaſed and flouriſhed as it hath done, have been Twenty Miles in Circumference, or contained Two Hundred Thouſand Souls, which it nearly doth at this Day? I judge it *would not*——but I preſume they were influenced by truly patriotic and noble Motives: Let us, my Brethren, voluntarily follow their Example in our Application to Trade and Manufactures, Arts and Sciences, and I truſt we may likewiſe become the Admiration of the World. PHILOPATRIUS.

Reading, Berks County, Dec. 5, 1774.

PURSUANT to advertiſements diſperſed through the county, a reſpectable number of the inhabitants met this day, at the Court-houſe in this town, and proceeded by ballot to the election of a Committee, as recommended by the Congreſs; when the following Gentlemen were duly choſen:—Edward Biddle, Chriſtopher Schults, Doctor Jonathan Potts, William Reeſer, Balſar Gear, Michael Bright, John Patton, Mark Bird, John Jones, John Old, Sebaſtian Levan, George Nagel, Chriſtopher Witman, Jacob Shoemaker, James Lewis.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *Philadelphia*, INWARD ENTRIES.

Ship Betſey, J. Graham, and Ship Pennſylvania Packet, P. Oſborne, from Liverpool. Ship Jamaica, R. Germyn, and Brig Two Brothers, P. Bruſter, London. Brig Matty, C. Cragg, Kirkwall. Ship Friendſhip, T. I. Ann, Cork. Brig Three Brothers, T. Davis, and Brig Cornelia, R. Adams, Antigua. Brig Nancy, J. Martin, Brig Charlotte, P. Parker, and Brig Ranger, B. Dunn, Hiſpaniola. Brig Nancy, J. Hanſe, Grenades. Brig Rebecca, J. Lovell, Tortola. Sloop Delight, J. Prince, St. Croix. Ship Peggy, W. Barron, and Sloop Peace and Plenty, R. Mumford, R. Iſland. Sloop Betſey, W. Underhill, Sloop Live Oak, J. Eve, and Schooner Polly, D. Sturgis, Virginia. Schooner Lively, J. Welſh, Halifax. Sloop Freemaſon, J. Proby, Sloop Diſcovery, G. Watſon, Sloop Little Heſter, D. Willmott, and Sloop Induſtry, A. White, N. Carolina. Ship London Packet, J. Cooke, Lewes, on Delaware. Schooner Pennſylvania Packet, S. Parker, Maryland. Brig Jamaica Packet, R. Stanſbury, from Jamaica.

Outwards. Brig Agnes, J. Mather, for Oporto. Schooner Diligence, J. Wilſon, Grenades. Brig Princeſs of Orange, W. Carliſle, and Schooner Hannah, J. Wells, St. Croix. Brig Nancy, J. Kent, Dominica. Brig Charlotte, J. Montgomery, Newry. Ship Sally, J. Oſman, Cadiz. Brig Charming Sally, E. Giſby, Brig Two Friends, R. Inkſon, and Brig Suſanna, W. Nicholls, Antigua. Ship Woodmaſs, J. Henderſon, Ship Commerce, W. Price, and Ship Elizabeth, W. Shrowdy, Liſbon. Brig Nancy, J. Hanſe, Brig Nancy J. Martin, and Brig Kitty, J. M'Fetrick, Jamaica. Schooner Polly, J. Buck, N. Carolina. Sloop Molly, J. Erwin, for Tortola.

Cleared. Sloop Betſey, V. Wightman, to R. Iſland. Ship Kitty and Peggy, N. Copper, Ship Cheſter, D. Ridley, Schooner Peggy, J. Elliot, and Schooner Lucretia, J. Moore, Virginia. Schooner Felicity, J. Carroll, Jamaica. Ship Mary, R. George, and Ship Alexander, J. Hunter, Londonderry. Brig Globe, J. Pitt, Brig Harmony, W. Barber, and Ship Charming Peggy, T. Dowman, Liſbon. Ship Proſperity, W. M'Culloch, Belfaſt. Sloop Two Brothers, J. Havens, Sloop Hawk, J. Walker, and Sloop Induſtry, A. White, N. Carolina. Brig Jane, D. Kinnicutt, Falmouth, G. B. Schooner Henrietta, J. Anderſon, Montſerrat. Schooner Molly, W. Treſethen, Piſcataqua. Brig Sea Nymph, W. Moore, S. Carolina. Brig Prince of Wales, J. Woods, Grenades. Ship Renown, W. Keith, Newry. Schooner Hannah, J. Wells, St. Croix. Ship Lovely Laſs, A. Waid, London. Brig Ann, J. Forſter, Hiſpaniola. Ship Ceres, L. Wickes, Maryland. Brig Ranger, W. Newbold, and Brig Charming Sally, E. Giſby, Antigua. Brig Amity, J. Aſh, to Leghorn.

On Friday, the 16th inſtant, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at

WILLIAM SITGREAVES's Vendue-ſtore,

the upper end of Second-ſtreet,

WILL begin the ſale of 10 pieces of ſcarlet, light blue, and light drab coloured cloak cloths; 20 pieces of low priced broadcloths, duffils, and coatings; 80 dozen of mens and womens ſtockings; 10 pieces of furniture checks; with a large and neat aſſortment of other goods, ſuitable for the ſeaſon, &c. Alſo houſhold furniture, and wearing apparel.

AUCTION OF BOOKS

WILL commence by ROBERT BELL, at his Auction Room, next Door to St. Paul's Church, in Third-ſtreet, on Friday, the 16th of December, 1774, and will continue for five or ſix Evenings ſucceſſively.---Hours of Sale from Seven to Nine each Evening.---Printed Catalogues will be ready for the Lovers of Literature on Thurſday next, at Twelve o' Clock. I W.

Philadelphia, December 12, 1774.

TWO DOLLARS Reward.

STRAYED away, about two weeks ago, a ſmall black COW, heavy with calf. Whoever takes up the ſaid cow, and brings her to the ſubſcriber, living in the Northern Liberties, ſhall receive the above reward. JOHN WILLIAMS. ¶

WANTS a PLACE,

A WOMAN, with a good Breaſt of Milk; ſhe has lately ſerved in a good Family, who will give her a Character. Enquire of the PRINTERS hereof. ¶

Philadelphia, December 10, 1774.

THREE POUNDS Reward.

STRAYED or STOLEN, out of the ſtable of Mr. WILLIAM PUSEY, in Cheſtnut-ſtreet, laſt night, a ſorrel MARE, near 14 hands high, 5 years old, with a ſtar in her forehead, one of her hind feet white, a hanging mane, ſwitch tail, and is ſhod before; ſhe paces, trots and canters. Whoever will return ſaid mare to the ſubſcriber, in Cheſtnut-ſtreet, ſhall have Twenty Shillings reward; and for the mare and thief (if ſtolen) the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by ANTHONY FORTUNE.

Philadelphia Goal, December 12, 1774.

NOW in the goal of the city and county of Philadelphia, the following runaway ſervants, viz. *John Mahar*, belonging to Robert M'Kee, in Middletown, Lancaſter county; *James Williams*, belonging to John Duglaſs, at Pequea, Lancaſter county; *Timothy Carley*, belonging to Robert M'Kee, Derry townſhip, Lancaſter county; *Peter Heaf*, belonging to John Brown, Mantua creek, Glouceſter county, Weſt-Jerſey; *John Coupleditch*, belonging to Francis Lambourn, in Marlborough townſhip, Cheſter county; *Mary Granger*, belonging to one M'Illroy, Lancaſter county. Their maſters are deſired to come and pay the charges, and take them away in 3 weeks, or they will be diſpoſed of otherwiſe, to pay the ſame, by PETER ROBESON, Goaler. ¶

Philadelphia Goal, December 9, 1774.

THIS is to give Notice to all whom it may concern, that I, HENRY WILLIAM STIEGLE, late of the County of Lancaſter, now confined in Philadelphia County Goal, intend to apply to the Honourable the Repreſentatives of the Province of Pennſylvania, in General Aſſembly met, for an Act to relieve my Perſon from the ſaid Impriſonment, and that I have iſſued Notices, directed to each and every of ſuch my Creditors, in particular, as have Accounts in my Books open: So that this Notice is only to the Purpoſe, that if any Perſon or Perſons, not ſerved with ſuch particular Notice, ſhould think to have any Demands againſt me, they would be pleaſed to exhibit their Accounts to me, and ſettle the ſame.

¶ HENRY WILLIAM STIEGLE.

TWELVE DOLLARS Reward.

RUN away from his bail, on Saturday, the 10th of December, 1774, a certain *Michael Durry*, about 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high, a full faced man, fair complexion, ſmall eyes, ſtraight hair, a luſty well-ſet fellow, ſpeaks good Engliſh, of a Dutch deſcent, and is much addicted to ſtrong drink, is much inclined to horſe-jockeying, and it is ſuppoſed he is gone to Maryland, between Baltimore and Annapolis, and when he went off took with him a large black ſtallion; he ſerved his time to the baking buſineſs, but lately employed in the porter buſineſs; had on, when he went away, brown clothes, and is ſuppoſed to have plenty of money in his pocket. Whoever takes up ſaid *Michael*, and brings him to the ſubſcriber, living in Penn-ſtreet, Philadelphia, or lodges him in any of his Majeſty's goals, ſo that the ſubſcriber may have him again, ſhall receive the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by

¶ JAMES HOOD.

[*Advertiſements omitted this Week will be in our next.*]

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New-York, November 26, 1774.

FIFTEEN DOLLARS Reward,

TO the perſon or perſons who will ſecure WILLIAM BAILEY, a runaway ſervant, in any of his Majeſty's goals on the continent of America, on their giving notice to any of the following perſons, viz. Mr. JOHN KENNEDY, Merchant, in Baltimore, Maryland, Mr. JOHN BOYLE, Merchant, in Philadelphia, or to his maſter, JOHN SHAW, Merchant, in New-York; the abovementioned runaway is about 5 feet 7 inches high, ſmooth complexion, and mild addreſs, knows ſomething of the weaving buſineſs, writes a good hand, and has kept a ſchool for ſome time paſt; it is probable he may have a forged paſs with him; he has for ſome time paſt wrought at the copper mines, in Lancaſter county, from whence he took his departure laſt month, and reported that he was going towards Shamokin; he has behaved in the moſt ungrateful manner to the ſubſcriber, who will pay, excluſive of the above reward, all reaſonable charges, on conveying him to priſon, and bringing the account to JOHN SHAW.

RUN away on the 27th of July laſt, from the ſubſcriber, living in Hanover townſhip, Lancaſter county, a native Iriſh ſervant man, named Philip Burns, 18 years of age, of a fair complexion, a down look, ſhort brown hair, much curled, well made, about 5 feet 5 inches high; had on, and took with him, a grey cloth upper jacket, red German ſerge under ditto, black velvet breeches, almoſt new, black worſted ſtockings, old coarſe ſhoes, with odd braſs buckles, two homeſpun ſhirts, one of them tow, and a felt hat, almoſt new; alſo took with him a mouſe coloured mare, 14½ hands high, 5 years old paſt, a natural pacer, has a blaze on one ſide of her forehead, a ſnip, and wall eye, one hind foot white, low in fleſh; a new bridle, and old ſaddle, without houſings; he was ſeen about 4 miles above Lancaſter, coming towards the town. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid ſervant and mare, ſo that the owner may get them again, ſhall have Ten Pounds *reward, or* Six Pounds *for the ſervant, and* Four Pounds *for the mare, and reaſonable charges, if brought home, paid by*

SAMUEL ALLEN.

N. B. All maſters of veſſels are forbid to carry him off.

Carliſle, October 24, 1774.

FIVE POUNDS TEN SHILLINGS REWARD.

STOLEN from the ſubſcriber, living in Carliſle, on the night of the 11th inſtant, a likely black MARE, having no white natural marks, about 15 hands, 9 years old laſt ſpring, paces and trots, thought to be branded with a T on the off ſhoulder, has a ſhort ſwitch tail, and is blind of both eyes, and is exceeding good in the gears. It is ſuppoſed whoever has taken the ſaid mare has turned her looſe, or otherwiſe ſwapped or ſold her for low value, when they found ſhe was blind, and is very likely taken up, or in the cuſtody of one who endeavours to conceal her. Whoever will give information of ſuch concealment, by letter or otherwiſe, ſhall have Forty Shillings reward, or Thirty Shillings for the mare, and reaſonable charges, if brought home, and Forty Shillings for the thief, if convicted, paid by WILLIAM BROWN. ¶

Cæcil County, December 1, 1774.

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, living within 5 miles of Charleſtown, or within 3 miles of Stevenſon's Ferry, on Saſquehanna, an Iriſh ſervant man, named *Michael M'Daniel*, but is ſuppoſed to change his name; he had on, when he went away, a dark brown coat, without lining, and chewed all in the ſkirts by the cows, an old blue jacket, with grey back, buckſkin breeches, ripped in the crotch, blue ribbed ſtockings, old ſhoes, newly mended, braſs buckles, not fellows, a coarſe dirty ſhirt, a narrow brim wool hat, with two cocks, and an iron collar on him; he is about 5 feet 5 inches high, with ſhort black hair, black eye-brows, and is of a ſwarthy black complexion, marked a little with the ſmall-pox, a ſtraight cut on his cheek, aſide his left eye, and is about 22 or 23 years of age, ſpeaks middling good Engliſh, but a little broad; he ran away once before, and was taken and put into York goal. Whoever takes up ſaid ſervant, and ſecures him, ſo as his maſter may get him again, ſhall have EIGHT DOLLARS reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by ROBERT ACKIN. ¶

RUN away, on the 5th of the Twelfth Month (called December) from the ſubſcriber, living in the Manor of Moreland, Philadelphia County, an Iriſh ſervant man, named John Simpſon, about 19 years of age, five feet eight or nine inches high, ſlender built, thin face, ſwarthy complexion, and has ſhort black hair; had on when he went away, an old light coloured cloth jacket, a white flannel under jacket, lead coloured worſted breeches, grey ribbed ſtockings, old ſhoes, with odd buckles, and a felt hat; alſo took an axe with him. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid ſervant, ſo that his maſter may get him again, ſhall have Three Dollars reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by † BENJAMIN LLOYD

Cumberland County, Weſt New-Jerſey, December 5, 1774.

DELIVERED into my cuſtody, on the 22d of laſt month, two men, who, from divers circumſtances, appear to be runaways; one calls himſelf *John Pemberton*, who anſwers as to ſtature, age, and complexion, to the ſervant advertiſed in the Pennſylvania Gazette, No. 2397, by the name of *John M'Guire*, maſter's name John Boucther. The other calls himſelf *John Gardiner*, about 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high, has loſt his right eye. Their maſters, if any they have, are deſired to come, pay charges, and take them out, in three weeks from the above date, or they will be diſcharged, on paying their fees.

ELIAS WHITEKAR, Goaler.

Salem County, New-Jerſey, December 5, 1774.

WAS committed to my cuſtody, on the 27th of November laſt, on ſuſpicion of being a runaway ſervant, a certain *John Smallwood*, who, on his examination, confeſſed himſelf to be a ſervant to William Doyl, Inn-keeper, in Doyltown, Bucks county, Pennſylvania. His maſter is deſired to come, pay charges, and take him away, in three weeks from the date hereof, otherwiſe he will be ſold out for the ſame.

¶ EDMUND WETHERBY, Sheriff.

STOLEN out of the ſubſcriber's ſtable, living in Wilmington, New-Caſtle County, in the night of Wedneſday, the 23d of November, a large ſorrel HORSE, about 15 or 16 hands high, upwards of 8 years old, has a ſmall ſtar or few white hairs in his forehead, his mane on the left ſide is cut in a comb, and the right ſide hangs down, was ſhod all round ſome time ago, when ſtanding he keeps his feet near together, has a ſmall neck and head according to his ſize, a natural pacer, but can trot and hand-gallop, and goes well in a chair. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid horſe and thief, ſo that he be brought to juſtice, and the owner gets his horſe again, ſhall have Five Pounds reward, or Thirty Shillings for the horſe only, and reaſonable charges, paid by ¶ DAVID BUSH.

CAME to the plantation of WILLIAM CRUTHERS, living in Weſt-Pennſborough townſhip, the 4th of Auguſt laſt, a black MARE, about 12 or 14 hands high, ſhe is branded on the near buttock and the off ſhoulder with the letter N, her two off feet white, is ſhod before, and trots. The owner of the mare, by applying to ſaid CRUTHERS, proving his property, and paying charges, may have her again. ¶

CAME to the plantation of the ſubſcriber, living in Weſt-Pennſborough townſhip, Cumberland county, the firſt of November, a ſmall black trotting HORSE, about 12 hands high, a bald face, his hind feet white, branded I. C. on the near ſhoulder and buttock, ſhort ſwitch tail. Came with him a black FILLY, two years old next ſpring, with a ſtar in her face, and a grey ſwitch tail. The owner is deſired to come, prove his property, pay charges, and take them away. EZEKIEL DUNNING.

N. B. Said Horſes came in May to the neighbourhood. ¶

CAME to the plantation of the ſubſcriber, in the Northern Liberties, about three weeks ago, two large COWS, the one red and white, the other black and white. The owner is deſired to come, pay the charges, and take them away.

December 12, 1774. THOMAS BOND, junior. ¶

CAME to the plantation of FREDERICK STECK, in Leterkenny townſhip, Cumberland county, ſince the 5th of October laſt, a black MARE, about 7 years old, 12 hands high, branded A on the near ſhoulder, and white hind feet. The owner is deſired to come, prove his property, pay charges, and take her away. ¶

Juſt publiſhed, and to be ſold by

JOSEPH CRUKSHANK,

At his Printing-Office, in Market-ſtreet, between Second and Third-ſtreets, and oppoſite Elbow-lane, Philadelphia,

POOR WILL's POCKET ALMANACK,

FOR THE YEAR 1775. ¶

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At his Printing-Office, in Wilmington,

THE PENNSYLVANIA TOWN and COUNTRY-MAN's ALMANACK, for the Year 1775. Alſo The WILMINGTON ALMANACK, for the Year 1775. ¶

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of Mr. JAMES MACCUBBIN, late of this city, merchant, deceaſed, are requeſted to make payment; and thoſe who have any accounts againſt the ſaid eſtate, are requeſted to bring them in, that they may be adjuſted and paid by ZACHARIAH HOOD, Executor.

N. B. The ſtill-houſe, at the corner of Walnut and Fifth-ſtreets, to be ſold or lett. *Nov.* 8, 1774. ¶

TO BE SOLD,

THREE LOTS of GROUND, adjoining each other, containing in the whole about 19 acres, on a road leading from the Falls of Schuylkill to Germantown and Frankford, between Mr. Henry Keppele, junior, and Dr. Thomas Bond's country ſeats, being a healthy, high, airy ſituation, commands a very extenſive and agreeable proſpect, and has an excellent ſpring of water thereon. Thoſe who incline to purchaſe the whole, or any part thereof may know the terms, by applying to

CHRISTIANA JUSTICE, at Andrew Doz's.

N. B. The purchaſer may fix the time of payment.

To the PUBLIC.

WHEREAS a Number of unkind and diſaffected People have induſtriouſly propagated through this City, That, on the Arrival of the Ships from England this Fall, I made it my Buſineſs to purchaſe a large Quantity of ſeveral Sorts of dry Goods, in order to ſell them again at an advanced Price; which Report I do declare to be falſe, and do defy any Perſon to appear to my Face, and prove that I have bought to the Amount of One Shilling's Worth of Goods from them, ſince the Arrival of ſaid Ships. And do further ſay, that, on a cool Reflection, I cannot recollect that I have bought to the Amount of Fifty Pounds Worth of dry Goods on Speculation ſince I have been in Trade; and am really ſorry that my Fellow-Citizens ſhould be ſo unfriendly to me, and unjuſt to themſelves, as to propagate a Report of this Sort. 6 w. JOHN HEAD.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, by the Proprietors of Andover Iron-works, in the county of Suſſex, and province of New-Jerſey, that they intend to apply to the General Aſſembly of that province, at their next meeting, for an act to veſt in them, the ſaid Proprietors, the legal title to ſundry tracts of land, and Proprietary Rights, in the ſaid province, which were purchaſed by John Hackett, Eſq; in his life time, in truſt for them, at their requeſt, and with their money, although the deeds and conveyances for the ſame were taken by the ſaid John Hackett, in his own name. If therefore the heirs or repreſentatives of the ſaid John Hackett, or any others concerned in intereſt in the above matter, intend to oppoſe the paſſing any ſuch Act of Aſſembly, they are requeſted to give their attendance at the time aforeſaid. †

TO BE LETT,

ON VERY LONG LEASES,

A PLANTATION, known by the name of the Eagle's Neſt, in Apoquinimink Hundred, New-Caſtle County, bounded by Main Duck-creek, and adjoining the places of Mr. Jehu Lewis and Mr. Jacob Caulk. This plantation contains 530 acres, of which 60 acres will be banked meadow, and above 50 acres are marſh, that may be alſo banked, on ſtopping the north-weſt branch of Duck-creek. The land is eſteemed good for bearing wheat, and is very fine graſs ground. A tenant ſhall be ſupplied with 300 of the beſt fruit trees to plant

A LOT, containing 20 acres, adjoining land of Mr. John Bringhurſt, a mile from Germantown.

A LOT, containing nearly ſix acres, on the weſt ſide of the road to Germantown, a mile and an half from Philadelphia, adjoining Mr. Jonathan Mifflin's place; and as it is ſupplied by a plentiful ſtream of water, it is thought a very good place for a Tanner.

Several other ſmall PLACES in the Northern Liberties.

A LOT, on the ſouth ſide of Norris's-alley, containing ſixty feet in front. JOHN DICKINSON.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on Thurſday, the 15th day of December inſt. on the premiſes,

A VALUABLE plantation or tract of land, containing 250 acres of very good land, lying in Northampton townſhip, in the county of Bucks, within half a mile of Richard Leadem's tavern; there is on the plantation a very good dwelling-houſe, and a very good barn, with a cedar roof, a good never-failing ſpring, about 6 acres of good meadow, and alſo a large quantity of good timber, a good bearing orchard.

And on the ſame day will be ſold, wheat in the ground, a quantity of hay, two waggons, Indian corn and buckwheat, by the buſhel, a weaver's loom, and other utenſils, too tedious to mention; being the eſtate of Cornelius Corſon, late deceaſed; the place being ſubject to a mortgage. The terms of ſale will be made known, on the day abovementioned, by CHRISTIAN CORSON, and JOHN KROESEN, Executors. ¶

N. B. All perſons indebted to the eſtate of Cornelius Corſon, by bond, note, or book debt, are requeſted to make payment as ſoon as poſſible; and all perſons having any demands againſt the ſaid eſtate, are deſired to bring in their accounts, properly proved, in order to be ſettled as ſoon as poſſible by the Executors.

Philadelphia, December 6, 1774.

THREE POUNDS Reward,

FOR any perſon or perſons, who ſhall apprehend a certain Francis Villaneufe, *a French runaway ſervant, by trade a hair-dreſſer, about 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high, ſwarthy complexion, black hair, tied behind, and ſpeaks but bad Engliſh; had on, when he went away, a beaver hat, a Wilton ſuit of clothes, a good deal powdered, the breeches almoſt new, light blue worſted ſtockings, new ſhoes, braſs knee and ſhoe-buckles; he took his dreſſing utenſils with him, and may endeavour to paſs for a freeman; he having run-away about 4 or 5 months ſince, when he had procured a forged paſs. Whoever ſecures ſaid ſervant, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall receive the above reward, and reaſonable charges, by applying to* ¶ HUGH HENRY, *in Cheſtnut-ſtreet.*

TAKEN UP as a TRESPASSER, by the ſubſcriber, living in Chanceford townſhip, York county, a dark bay MARE, two years old, her hind feet both white, no brand-mark known. The owner is deſired to come, prove his property, pay charges, and take her away. JOHN ANDREWS. ¶

JAMES ROSE,

Who kept Shop almoſt at the Corner of Second and Arch-ſtreets, is removed to the Corner-houſe of Third and Arch-ſtreets, oppoſite to the Preſbyterian Meeting-houſe, in Arch-ſtreet, and the Sign of the Roſe, in Third-ſtreet, at the Corner of the Friends Burying-ground, and has, out of the laſt veſſels from London, Liverpool, Briſtol and Glaſgow, laid in on the very beſt terms, a very neat and general aſſortment of GOODS, which he is determined to ſell on the moſt reaſonable terms, wholeſale and retail, for ready money only, viz.

THREE-fourths, ⅞ and yard wide Iriſh linens; ¾, ⅞, yard wide, and yard and ¼ cotton and linen checks, cotton and linen ſtripes; cotton hollands; ſtriped tickings; 6-qr. 6½, and 7-qr. bed bunts; 9-8ths brown and white Ruſſia and Iriſh ſheetings; Ruſſia and Iriſh dowlas; Ruſſia ravens duck, drillings, diapers, and huckaback clouting and napkening diapers; 6, 7, and 8-qr. diaper table cloths; cambricks and lawns, in pieces and patches; yard wide and 6 qr. muſlins and humhums; plain, flowered and ſtriped ſilk and muſlin gauzes and kentings; kenting handkerchiefs; Bandanoe, Romal, Barcelona and Lungee ſilk handkerchiefs; black neck-cloths:---A very good aſſortment of black ſattins; India taffaties; ſpotted and flowered modes; ell wide and half yard perſians, of moſt colours:---A very neat and general aſſortment of pompadour, light, and dark ground chintz; cotton and calicoes; ſingle and double purple calicoes, yard and ell wide India calicoes; maſqueraded and ſtriped bengals; blue, green, cloth coloured fine and ſuperfine ſaggathies; wiltons; broad and forreſt cloths:---With a large aſſortment of ſhaloons; rattinets; cotton velvets, velverets and corderoys; ſerge denims; everlaſtings; dyed jeans; thickſets and fuſtians; moreens; durants and tammies; worſted damaſks; calimancoes; ruſſels; dorſetees; crapes and poplins; mens, womens, boys and girls worſted, cotton and thread hoſe, of all kinds; mens, womens, boys and girls worſted, linen, cotton, leather and ſilk gloves and mitts; buckram, buttons, mohair and twiſt; the beſt German and Scotch ozenbrigs; G. B. wool and cotton cards; playing cards; French indigo; gun powder and ſhot; table knives and forks:--And a large aſſortment of womens worſted ſhoes; together with a great variety of other articles, too tedious to enumerate. §

N. B. As all the above goods were purchaſed uncommonly low for caſh, he hopes to convince thoſe who pleaſe to favour him with their cuſtom, that none will ſell on more reaſonable terms.

WILLIAM DREWET SMITH,

Has juſt imported, in the laſt ſhips from England,

A QUANTITY of Baron Van Haake's Royal Letters Patent Compoſition for manuring Land. This valuable Compoſition has been tried with the greateſt Succeſs in England, not only for arable, Meadow and Paſture Land, but is alſo excellent for Hop, Turnip, Tobacco Grounds, and Vineyards; likewiſe particularly adapted to Kitchen Gardens and Nurſeries.

The above will be ſold in Quantities not leſs than 8 Pounds to 200 Weight and upwards, with proper printed Directions, at his Store, in Second-ſtreet, between Market and Cheſtnut-ſtreets. ¶

JOHN MASON, UPHOLDER,

At the Corner of Front and Market-ſtreets,

CARRIES on the Upholdſtry Buſineſs, in all its various branches, and ſhall be extreamly obliged to thoſe Ladies and Gentlemen that will pleaſe to employ him and they may depend on having their orders neatly and carefully executed.

Said MASON has imported, by the laſt ſhips from London, a neat aſſortment of paper hangings, Straſburg ſnuff, beſt ſuperfine 11qr. Flanders ticks, mattraſs or wool beds, ſacking bottoms, &c. and a curious aſſortment of TOYS.

N. B. Red Leather gilt Trunks. §

BROADCLOTHS and STOCKINGS, a very large and general aſſortment, of every price and quality; alſo a quantity of checks, and Ruſſia ſheetings; blankets and rugs, of all ſizes; cambricks, royal ribs; pins and gloves; plain and mackaroni velvets, with a great number of other ſhop goods, freſh imported, and will poſitively be ſold at the former moderate prices, for caſh, by

GEORGE BARTRAM,

At the Fleece's Head, half-way between Cheſtnut and Walnut-ſtreets, in Second-ſtreet.

N. B. Thoſe who purchaſe a quantity ſhall have ſome time allowed to pay. *Nov.* 12, 1774.

A FULLER, that is Maſter of his Buſineſs, and can be well recommended for his Sobriety and Induſtry, may hear of a good place, by enquiring of JACOB SHOEMAKER, in Second-ſtreet, Philadelphia. †

JUST come to Hand, per Captain GILL, from LONDON,

AND TO BE SOLD, BY

ROBERT LOOSELY,

In Walnut-ſtreet, between Front and Second-ſtreets,

A GENERAL aſſortment of Shoe-maker's tools, a quantity of Benn ſoals, of an exceeding good quality, much ſuperior to thoſe generally imported; boot legs; white, calf and ſheep-ſkins; cork ſoals, and cork in ſheets, with every article uſed in the above buſineſs.---Complete ſetts of tools, ſuitable for thoſe who have their ſhoes made in their own houſes.---Store-keepers may be ſupplied with any quantity of his black heel ball, cheaper than any other ſhop in this city; which balls ſhall be engaged good, and if not found ſo, taken back, and the money returned. Lamp-black, in any quantity; ſhoe-heels and laſts, white ſpinnel, &c. &c. He will ſell a large quantity of Engliſh rag-ſtones cheap, by the hundred.

N. B. Orders ſhall be as punctually attended to as if the perſons were preſent, and no advantage of the times taken.

A complete Hemp-dreſſer or two may have conſtant employment and good wages, by applying as above, or any perſon having the indentures of ſuch to diſpoſe of, may have a reaſonable price for them. ¶

Philadelphia, November 14, 1774.

TWENTY POUNDS Reward.

STOLEN, out of the houſe of the ſubſcriber, in Front-ſtreet, on the 12th inſtant, between 6 and 7 o'clock in the evening, a handſome GOLD WATCH, with a China face and three hands, one of which tells the day of the month; maker's name Thomas Wagſtaffe; it had engraved on the back of the outer caſe, in a cypher, the letters P. M. alſo the owner's name, Phebe Morton, engraved on the cap. At the ſame time was ſtolen the following articles:----One white ſattin quilted petticoat; one black paduaſoy gown; one cinnamon coloured tabby ditto; one brown ducape ditto; and one crow coloured mantua ditto. The perſon, who perpetrated this robbery, was ſeen coming out of the houſe with a parcel of clothes hanging over his arm; he is a man of low ſtature, has black ſhort hair, tied behind; had on a ſtriped jacket, and a brown one over it, with the ſleeves cut off above the elbows, and wore a ſmall round hat, without loops; it is ſuppoſed he is gone to New-York in ſome of the ſtages. Whoever brings the above deſcribed goods to the owner, ſhall receive the reward of TEN POUNDS, or the above reward for the goods and thief, on conviction. ‡ PHEBE MORTON.

WAS FOUND in a Pile of Wood, at Greenwich-point Ferry, oppoſite Glouceſter, the 8th Inſtant, a black Leather POCKET-BOOK; in it was £ 4:6:1 in Caſh, alſo an Inventory of the Goods and Caſh found with the Body of Michael Tracy, who died in the Townſhip of Pikeland, Cheſter County, July 25, 1773. The Owner of the above Pocket-Book, proving Property and paying Charges, may have it again.

Nov. 16, 1774. ‖ RICHARD RENSHAW.

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SUPPLEMENT to the PENNSYLVANIA GAZETTE. No. 2399.

Philadelphia, November 25, 1774.

SIX POUNDS REWARD.

THIS day, between the hours of Twelve and One, was taken off the compter of the subscriber, a small square glass case, containing a quantity of JEWELLERY, viz. 5 Garnet Broaches, set in Gold, one of which is Freemasonry; several ditto, set in Silver; about three dozen Stone Rings, of several kinds, set in Gold; a pair of Stone Buttons, set in Gold; several Freemasons Medals; Ear Rings; Stone Stock and Knee Buckles; several Seals; one large hair Sprig; 17 hair Lockets, set in Gold, 5 of which are set round with garnets, 6 with Coronets, and the other 6 are plain; 1 plain Gold Locket, for a child, maker's name J. C. several ditto, set in Silver, with a number of other articles, which at present cannot be recollected. Whoever apprehends the thief or thieves, so that the goods may be had again, shall receive the above reward, or in proportion to what goods so discovered, paid by JOHN CARNAN.

TO BE SOLD,

A VALUABLE plantation and tract of land, containing about 190 acres, situate within the town bounds of Gloucester, and province of New-Jersey; on which plantation there are a convenient dwelling-house, with other buildings for the accommodation of a family, a well of excellent water, within 25 feet of the dwelling-house, a commodious barn, with suitable partitions for the stock, and a threshing floor; a small orchard, about 27 acres of excellent meadow along Little Timber Creek, and upwards of 100 acres of woodland. Its distance from the market at Philadelphia being but 6 miles, renders it very convenient for the farmer, in that he may, several times a week, dispose of his produce on the most advantageous terms. One third of the purchase-money paid at executing the title, the other two thirds may remain on interest. Any person inclining to purchase the same, may apply to the subscriber, living in Philadelphia.

‖5t. *Theif.* WILLIAM WHARTON.

At the desire of several PHYSICIANS,

PROPOSALS are laid before the Gentlemen of that Profession, by ROBERT BELL, of Third-street, Philadelphia, for PRINTING, by SUBSCRIPTION,

AN AMERICAN EDITION of LECTURES on the MATERIA MEDICA, as delivered by WILLIAM CULLEN, M. D. Professor of Medicine in the University of Edinburgh.

N. B. Printed proposals, with conditions and a specimen of the work, are given *gratis* at said BELL's, to whom those gentlemen, who are desirous of encouraging improvements in the divine art of healing, are requested to forward their names speedily, that it may be carried in execution immediately, and because it will be printed only for those who possess so much animation as to encourage the work by their subscriptions.

WAS STOLEN, last night, out of the pasture of the subscriber, in Norrington township, Philadelphia county, a likely sorrel HORSE, about 15 hands high, paces, trots, and hand-gallops, but is most natural to the trot, which is remarkable swift, he is about 8 or 9 years old, shod before, and lately trimmed under the bridle, a small blaze in his forehead, his hind feet white, is docked short, and has a small bit broke out of one of his fore teeth, in the left upper jaw. Whoever takes up the said horse and thief, and secures the thief in any goal, so that he may be brought to justice, and the owner gets his horse again, shall have FIVE POUNDS reward, or THIRTY SHILLINGS for the horse only, paid by

November 27, 1774. ‖ JOHN SHANNON.

FIVE POUNDS Reward.

STRAYED away or STOLEN, from the subscriber, living in Hopewell township, Hunterdon county, West New-Jersey, on the 18th instant, a young black MARE, about 14 hands high, with a star in her face, natural pacer. Any person apprehending the thief and mare, shall have above reward, or FIFTY SHILLINGS for the mare only, paid by HANNAH BROWN. ‖ *November 25, 1774.*

THREE POUNDS REWARD.

A PERSON, of a small stature and dark complexion, who called himself William Fry, *and said he lived in Greenwich, East New-Jersey, hired a small black Horse of the subscriber, in Frankford Philadelphia county, on the 12th instant, and was to bring him back the same day, but hath not yet returned him; and, on enquiry, I find it is near a year since said* Fry *lived in Greenwich aforesaid, where he had taught school a few months: Therefore, I will give* Thirty Shillings *reward to the person, who will apprehend said* William Fry, *so that he may be brought to justice, and* Thirty Shillings *more, for bringing my horse to Joseph Paul's Tavern, at Frankford Bridge.* JOHN PHILLIPS.

N. B. The Man wore a brown surtout coat, with a green velvet cape to it, and the Horse had a star in his forehead. Nov. 26. ¶

Upper-Freehold, November 21, 1774.

THREE POUNDS REWARD.

RUN away, on the 19th instant, from the subscriber, living in Upper-Freehold, Monmouth county, East New-Jersey, a servant man, named James M'Bride; *he has a full face, dark hair, and rather clumsy built; he appears to be between 20 and 30 years of age, he professes the dish-turner's trade, is about 5 feet 7 or 8 inches high, and well set; had on a blue broadcloth coat and jacket, a felt hat remarkably stiff, and generally wears it with two sides cocked, oznenbrigs trowsers, and double soaled shoes, with Pinchbeck buckles; he was born in Ireland, and came into this country last spring. Whoever takes up said servant, and secures him, so that his master may get him again, shall have the above reward, and all reasonable charges, paid by* DERICK BARCALOW. ¶

TO BE SOLD,

(Or exchanged for land in or near this city)

A VALUABLE PLANTATION, containing 310 acres, situate in Loudoun county, Virginia, 7 miles from Leesburgh, and 20 miles from Frederick-town, Maryland. It is now lett at 40l. per annum. Enquire of THOMAS MIFFLIN, in Philadelphia. *Nov.* 30. 8 *W.*

EIGHT DOLLARS Reward.

STRAYED or STOLEN, from the subscriber, in Third-street, Philadelphia, on Wednesday, the 16th of November instant, a BAY HORSE, about 14 hands high, 5 years old, trots only, and very fast, white hind feet, bob tail, bare at the end, and hangs down at each side. Whoever will bring the above described horse to the owner, shall have FOUR DOLLARS reward, or the above reward for horse and thief.

ROBERT CORREY.

ALL persons indebted to JOHN ZELLER, of the city of Philadelphia, Distiller, who lately took his passage in the Mary and Elizabeth, Captain Falconer, for England, are desired to make immediate payment to the subscribers, otherwise they are under the disagreeable necessity to comply with the instruction of their constituent, and put the bonds, accounts, &c. in suit, without any further notice. PETER MILLER, and HILLARY BAKER, junior, Attornies in Fact. ¶

November 23, 1774.

STRAYED, on the 14th instant, a bay HORSE, about nine or ten years old, and above 14 hands high, both trots and paces, shod before, the off hind foot white, and when bridled or girthed makes motion to bite. Said horse was seen, on the 18th instant, passing by Brandywine Meeting-house. The above described horse was got from Scotch John Barron, Chapman or Pedlar, by James Watson, in Conestogoe. Whoever takes up said horse, and brings him home to the subscriber, living in Sadsbury township, Chester county, shall have FOUR DOLLARS reward, and reasonable charges, paid by WILLIAM FULLTON. ¶

LEFT, or FORGOT, at the House of LUDWIG KUHN, Tavern-keeper, at the Sign of the ROSE, at the Corner of Third-street and Arch-street, A BUNDLE of CLOTH, &c. The Owner may have it again, on proving Property, and paying Charges. ¶

TO BE SOLD,

And may be entered on the first day of April next,

A VALUABLE plantation, and tract of about 150 acres of land, situate in Goshen township, Chester county, whereon is erected a stone dwelling-house, a barn, &c. about 100 acres cleared, 10 whereof meadow, and more may be made; the whole plentifully watered, by a never-failing stream running through the middle of it. For terms, apply to the subscribers, near the premises. LYDIA DAVIS, RICHARD THOMAS.

All persons indebted to the estate of ELLIS DAVIS, late of Goshen, deceased (Fuller) are required to make immediate payment; and those who have demands, are desired to make them.

LYDIA DAVIS, and RICHARD THOMAS, Administrat.

N. B. They have likewise for sale, a pair of Timber Wheels, and Screws, almost as good as new. ¶

EIGHT DOLLARS REWARD.

RUN away, on the 22d day of this instant, November, from the subscriber, living in Chesterfield township, Burlington county, West New-Jersey, an Irish servant lad, named THOMAS MURFY, *about 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, wears his hair, of a brown colour; about 19 years of age; he is thin visaged and raw-boned, a long chin, has a full mouth, short stumpy nose, large grey eyes, and a very down look; the joint of his left ankle bends out, which occasions his treading awry, as well as a hobbling walk; he has been used to plantation business, especially threshing; had on, when he went away, a brown jacket, with coat cuffs, oznenbrigs shirt, buckskin breeches, blue yarn stockings, shoes with strings in them, and an old felt hat. Whoever takes up said servant, and secures him in any goal, so that his master may get him again, shall have the above reward, and reasonable charges, paid by*

Nov. 23, 1774. § *JOSHUA BUNTING.*

RUN away, on the 2d instant, from the subscriber, living in Chanceford township, York county, an Irish servant man, named James Randles, *or perhaps he may change it to* Ronaughin, *he is about 16 years of age, 5 feet 2 or 3 inches high, round faced, lightly pitted with the small-pox, mostly on his nose, black short hair, scalped above; he has a good countenance, talks tolerable good English, only a little on the brogue; perhaps he may pass under the name of Butcher, as he served some time to that business; had on, and took with him, an olive coloured short lincey coat, lined with blue broadcloth, with a black patch on one of the sleeves, from a little above the elbow down, a grey jacket, of coarse napped cloth, without lining, a pair of black stocking pattern breeches, not much worn, with red puffs in the knees, and the same colour lining to the fall before, two coarse linen shirts, one of which is Irish make, with a large patch of finer cloth down the back, to the waistband of his breeches, a pair of grey coloured stockings, with small ribs, a pair of Irish made shoes, one of which is half-soaled, and a half-worn felt hat, middling fine, with a pair of old linen trowsers, by way of wallet; he is a very crafty fair spoken fellow, and may endeavour to get a forged pass. Whoever takes up said servant, and secures him in any of his Majesty's goals, so that his master may get him again, shall have* Eight Dollars *reward, and reasonable charges, paid by* ROBERT BLAIN.

N. B. All masters of vessels and others are forewarned not to harbour or carry him off, at their peril. §

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons, indebted to the estate of Doctor HUGH MATTHEWS, deceased, late of Cæcil county, Maryland, to pay off or settle their respective debts, to the satisfaction of the subscriber, without delay; and those that have any demands against said estate, are requested to bring them in, legally proven, that they may be paid by

¶ WILLIAM MATTHEWS, Executor.

TO THE PUBLIC.

WHEREAS the subscriber, of Lowhill township, Northampton county, purchased a certain tract of land, situate on Jordan creek, in the township aforesaid, and executed a bond for One Hundred and Twenty Pounds, payable unto George Ernhard, on the 27th of November 1774; and it now appears that said Ernhard cannot give an indisputable title for the said land; I therefore warn all persons not to take an assignment of said bond, as I am determined to pay no part thereof, until the said land be secured unto me.

November 21, 1774. ‖ ENGEL THOMAS.

WHEREAS I, the subscriber, of Lebanon township, Lancaster county, bought a certain tract of land from John Sahler, of the township and county aforesaid, for the sum of £ 950, £ 350 of which I have already paid him; and, having given him eleven bonds for the remaining part of the said sum, of £ 50 each, to be paid in eleven equal annual payments, the first to become due the 10th day of May 1775. And the said Sahler, not being able to deliver me the full quantity of land, mentioned in that contract, I forewarn all persons not to take an assignment of any of the said bonds, for I will not pay any of them, unless compelled thereto by law.

November 17, 1774. ‖ MICHAEL BAIRER.

WHEREAS I, the subscriber, did, on the 19th instant, give my Note of Hand, to a certain Christian Ouger, for the sum of £ 3 : 19 : 2. These are to give notice to the public, not to accept any assignment thereof, as I am determined not to pay the same, unless compelled thereto by law.

Philadelphia, Nov. 22, 1774. ‖ GEORGE LESHER.

THIS is to desire all persons indebted to the estate of JOHN HENDERSON, late of New-London township, deceased, to make speedy payment; and those that have any demands against said estate, to bring them in, properly proved, that they may be settled and paid by DAVID MACKEY, Administrator. ¶

RUN away from the subscriber, living in Caroline county (being part of Queen-Anne and Dorset counties) three servant lads, viz. *John Toothill*, aged about 22, about 5 feet 4 or 5 inches high; had on a kersey jacket, coarse homespun shirt, and homespun trowsers, with old breeches under them; is of a pale complexion, thin visaged, marked with the small-pox, and has lost one of his fore teeth in the under row. *John Holder*, aged about 16 or 17; had on a lappelled striped jacket; is about 5 feet high, thin countenance, high nose, and light coloured hair. *John Norman*, aged about 16 or 17; had on, when he went away, a check shirt, jacket the same as *John Toothill*'s, a pair of trowsers over an old pair of breeches; is of a very dark yellowish complexion, black hair, and his under lip turns down very much. Whoever takes up said runaways, and secures them in any of his Majesty's goals, shall have *Six Pounds* reward, or in proportion for either of them, paid by THOMAS STEDHAM, living near Parson Kean's, in the county aforesaid. ¶

HUE AND CRY.

WHEREAS Matthias Seidebander, *of Alsace township, Berks county, eloped from his wife about three years ago, without any reason whatsoever; this is to give him notice, that unless he returns in three months after the day of the date hereof, I will disown him as a husband, and keep house with him no longer.*

November 24, 1774 ‖ MARY SEIDEBANDER.

November 22, 1774.

WAS LEFT at the Sign of the White Horse, in Salisbury township, Lancaster county, by a person unknown, about the 7th of October last, a sorrel HORSE, 11 or 12 years old, 14 hands high, a star, and three white feet. Likewise was left an old Saddle and Bridle. The owner is desired to come, prove his property, pay charges, and take them away, otherwise the horse will be sold for the same, in four weeks from the date hereof, by JOHN HOPKINS. ¶

November 29, 1774.

SIX POUNDS REWARD.

RUN away, from the subscriber, living in New-Hanover township, Philadelphia county, the 8th day of this instant, a Dutch servant man, named Jacob Beaver, *but may change it to* Jacob Mude, *about 22 years of age, about 4 feet 10 inches high, a well set fellow, has light coloured straight hair, a fresh colour, and commonly walks slow; he stole, and took with him, a fine hat, also a new, two pair of pumps, one pair with high quarters, a pair of silver plated buckles, a brown coat and jacket, blue buckskin breeches, a pair of cotton stockings, one ditto of worsted, a calimanco jacket, without sleeves, nine shirts, and one fine ditto; he took likewise along with him two dogs. Whoever takes up and secures said servant, so that his master may have him again, shall receive the above reward, and reasonable charges, paid by* GEORGE PENSGROVE. ¶

STRAYED or STOLEN, about the 12th of November, from the subscriber, living at the Red Lion, in the County of New-Castle, and Hundred aforesaid, a black HORSE, neither branded nor ear-marked, has a small star in his forehead, paces, trots and gallops. Whoever takes up the said horse, and brings him to the subscriber, shall have TWO DOLLARS reward, and all reasonable charges, paid by WILLIAM RANKIN, or RENIER PENTON. *Nov.* 22, 1774. ¶

Philadelphia, October 25, 1774.

TEN DOLLARS REWARD.

RUN away from the subscriber, living in Pennsbury township, Chester county, an Irish servant lad, named John Mahaffey, *19 years of age, about 5 feet 7 inches high, long visage, short straight dark brown hair; had on, when he went away, a check shirt, the collar tied with tape or a string; new coat, jacket and breeches, of London brown cloth, without lining, with a turn-down collar to his coat, new felt hat, with a narrow brim, new shoes, with buckles. Arrived at New-Castle, the 20th instant, in the ship Prosperity, Captain M'Cullough. Whoever apprehends and secures the said servant, so that his master may have him again, shall have the above reward, paid by* JAMES BENNET. †

CAME to the house of SAMUEL MARTIN, in Sadsbury township, Chester county, a large BULL, of a brown colour, no ear-mark, and has been very troublesome. The owner is desired to come, prove his property, pay charges, and take him away. *October* 20, 1774. ¶

TEN DOLLARS Reward.

RUN away, the 30th of October last, from the subscriber's plantation, near the Glass-house at Kensington, near the city of Philadelphia, an Irish servant man, named *James Read*, about 21 years of age, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, a likely well made man, fair complexion, brown hair, speaks a little on the brogue, by trade a Mason; arrived from Waterford, in Ireland, last July, in the snow Charlotte, Captain Gafney; had on, and took with him, when he went away, a brown superfine cloth coat and vest, about half-worn, breeches of the same, but lighter coloured, one white holland and two check shirts, two pair white and one pair worsted stockings, half-worn shoes. Whoever takes up said servant, and secures him in any of his Majesty's goals, or in the work-house in Philadelphia, so that his master may have him again, shall have the above reward, paid by

WILLIAM BALL.

N.B. Said *BALL* has for sale a likely young NEGROE WOMAN; she understands house-work well, and is very suitable for the country. †

MUSCOVADO SUGARS, of the best quality, in hogsheads, tierces and barrels;
West India RUM;
Barbados SPIRIT, old and fit for immediate use;
Genuine red PORT WINE, in quarter casks and bottles;
Old Madeira WINE, in pipes, hogsheads and quarter casks;
A few dozens of right good CLARET;
A parcel of RHUBARB;
A new London made CABLE, about 9½ inches;
And some casks of essence VINEGAR,

TO BE SOLD BY

GEORGE MEADE, and COMPANY.

ALL those that remain indebted to the estate of THOMAS WILLIAMS, deceased, on bond, note or book debt, are once more requested to pay their respective balances to the subscriber, on or before the first of January 1775, or else he will be under the necessity of putting the same in an attorney's hands. And all those that still may have any accounts against said estate, are desired to bring them in, properly proved.

JOHN WILLIAMS, acting Executor.

Charles County, Maryland, Nov. 7, 1774.

RUN away, from the subscriber, two indented servants, imported by Capt. Joseph Street last September, one named *Robert Mills*, a Gardener; he is an Irishman, about 22 years old, a likely fresh coloured man; he had on, and took with him, a snuff-coloured cloth coat and breeches, a red jacket, two white shirts, one check ditto, shoes, stockings, hat, and silk handkerchief. The other a Yorkshire man, named *James Bell*, a Miner, about 40 years old; took with him a dark blue coat, a brown jacket, snuff-coloured breeches, hat, shoes, stockings, and a number of small bells. Whoever takes up the said servants, or either of them, and brings them home, shall receive Three Pounds for each, besides what the law allows, from

¶ SAMUEL HANSON.

PETER STRETCH

HATH just imported from London, in the last vessels, a neat assortment of the best superfine Broadcloths, amongst which are scarlet, deep and light blue, black, parson's grey, buff, garnet, light and dark drabs, and pearl colours, of different shades, suitable for womens long cloaks, rattinets to match the cloths, super and superfine double milled drabs, for great coats; scarlet, blue, copper, brown, and drab colours; best superfine Bath coatings; buff, white and black best silk breeches patterns; black, buff, and drab coloured superfine four thread worsted ditto; white silk serge; crimson, blue, white and scoured feathered velvets, for linings of gentlemens dress suits; gold and silver spangled basket and embroidered buttons; best scarff, all silk, and silk and cotton twist; Baladine sewing silks; spotted and Manchester velvets and thicksets; corderoys, of drab colours; blue and drab corderetts; Quakers best black paduasoys beautiful clear white best sattins; and a variety of low priced plain and chased silver and Pinchbeck watches. The public may rest assured that the above articles are all fresh goods, none older than the last spring importation, and will be sold in any quantity, from a piece to a yard, at his store, on the north side of Walnut-street, a few doors below Second-street, and directly opposite the Prothonotary's office. 6 W.

FRANCIS WADE

BEING informed, by a number of his friends, that his old country customers, and others that inclined to deal with him, have been at a loss to find him out, since his removal from his old brewery; he therefore thinks it necessary to take this method of letting his friends know, that his brewery, and dwelling, is now in Fourth-street, at the corner of Race-street, where his former customers, and those that are inclined to deal with him, may be supplied with all sorts of beer, for exportation or home consumption, as usual; and for the better conveniency of his customers down town, masters of vessels, shallopmen and others, by leaving their orders, at the store of Messrs ROBERT and NATHANIEL LEWIS, opposite Hamilton's wharff, near the Drawbridge, they may be served as expeditious as when he lived in that neighbourhood.

Barley, malt and hops, purchased as usual; and a parcel of clean winter barley ready to be given out for seed.

PROPOSALS for printing, by SUBSCRIPTION,

The PENNSYLVANIA MAGAZINE,

OR, THE

AMERICAN REPOSITORY of USEFUL KNOWLEDGE.

PLAN of the WORK.

I. A Proportion of nearly the same number of pages in each Magazine will be set apart for original American productions, and the greatest attention given that none be admitted but such as are of real merit. As to the subjects of these dissertations, they may extend to the whole circle of science, including politics and religion as objects of philosophical disquisition, but excluding controversy in both. Lest this should offend any, all the political controversy proper for this periodical publication will fall under the article of news; and as for religious controversy, particularly between the different denominations of Christians, it is supposed all judicious persons will approve its being wholly excluded.

II. The next department shall contain select essays from the British Magazines and other modern publications. In the choice of these, regard will be had not only to the merit of the piece it self, but to the importance, seasonableness, and popularity of the subject. The Publisher has ordered all the *English* and *Scots* Magazines to be regularly sent him, and by comparing one with another, and private intelligence with all, he will have the advantage of public opinion to assist in the choice.

III. In the third place shall be inserted a list of new books, with remarks and extracts taken from the Magazines, Reviews, &c. &c. Care shall be taken to render this part as complete and concise as possible, and the difficulty will not be great, since it is chiefly to select and copy so far as regards British or other European productions. If however any friend here can add a judicious remark or correction of other criticisms in time for the publication of our Magazine, we shall willingly subjoin it. Whatever writings are published in America shall be taken notice of in the list; but to avoid the suspicion of party or prejudice, no remarks shall be made on them, but the subject, title, and place of publication shall be inserted, and perhaps sometimes a short extract given.

IV. The fourth section shall be devoted to the muses. And as mediocrity is more supportable in any thing than in poetry, pains will be taken to procure the best and newest essays in this way always giving a preference to the productions of our own country.

V. The fifth place is to be allotted to news, and it is hoped that these may be inserted with great advantage. The interval of a month will enable the publisher, especially with the assistance he has already, and further intends to procure, to distinguish between reports or conjectures, or even intended impositions on the public, and real incidents and transactions. This advantage is clearly to be seen in the monthly publications at home, where the news are much more to be depended on, than the hasty and confused accounts contained in the weekly papers. In these last, one paragraph sometimes tells us that another in a preceding paper was altogether without foundation. The reader will also please to observe, that as the news depend upon the arrival of ships from abroad, one of which often brings what must supply the newspapers for several weeks, a monthly Magazine in America has not only the advantage of conciseness and certainty in common with European Magazines, but may in many instances have the news as soon in point of time as the weekly papers. To all this may be added, that it will be more permanent, and recourse easily had to it for the time and circumstances of past transactions. Fresh pieces of news, with some particulars not necessary to be put in the body of the book, will be sometimes printed on the blue paper cover.

VI. The sixth article will be filled with correct lists of marriages, births, deaths and promotions. In these it will be necessary to leave out very many contained in the English papers, but all shall be retained that either from the station of the persons their character, their relation to America, or the singularity of the case can be supposed to excite curiosity in this country. The utmost care shall be taken to have the lists, with regard to America, complete.

VII. And to the whole will be added, a correct meteorological diary, accounts of the prices of grain and other commodities in different parts of the continent, the course of exchange, &c.

The publisher will be obliged to any gentleman in the mercantile way, to suggest upon what plan some account of the departure and arrival of vessels, that would come within the compass of this Magazine, should be conducted; as also whether an account of the annual imports and exports at different places would be acceptable, and how it may be obtained.

Bills of mortality from different places of America will be inserted annually, if they can possibly be obtained so as to be depended upon. Hints and assistance on this subject will be acceptable.

A supplement and general index will be published at the close of every year.

CONDITIONS.

First. *This work will contain six half sheets octavo, stitched in blue paper, as nearly as possible on the preceding plan, leaving to ourselves the liberty of improving or amending it as occasion may require.*

Secondly. *A copper-plate will be given with every number, or on particular occasions, as encouragement offers.*

Thirdly. *Subscribers will be furnished at the reasonable price of One Shilling, Pennsylvania currency, for each month, exclusive of the supplement, which will be One Shilling more, and will contain the same number of pages with the preceding numbers.*

Such is the plan and such are the conditions upon which the publisher intends to give the first number of his Magazine to the Town, on the first Wednesday in *February* next, should only a sufficient list of subscribers appear to defray the bare expence of the press:—But it is their future encouragement that must determine him to proceed,—which, if he should be so fortunate as to obtain, he shall, *punctually*, on the first Wednesday of every succeeding month, endeavour to furnish the public with an AMUSING and INSTRUCTIVE MISCELLANY.

He therefore earnestly requests all persons who are generous enough to encourage a literary undertaking in their own country, to transmit their names by the first day of *December* next to

R. AITKEN, opposite the *London* Coffee-house, *Front-street*.

SUBSCRIPTIONS are likewise taken in by all the Printers, Booksellers, and Country Store-keepers in America.

To the PUBLIC.

IN the beginning of the present year the subscriber, whose business as a bookseller leads him to consult the wants of the town, threw out a few proposals for publishing an AMERICAN MAGAZINE; *in which undertaking he was willing to engage, as well from a love of letters, as from motives that are supposed to be inseparable from his profession.*

He is now to inform the public, that a number of gentlemen of the first character for genius and liberal sentiment among us, have been pleased severally to signify their approbation of his design; and also to make such additions to the plan formerly proposed, as they judged would contribute to render it still more universally entertaining and instructive. For this purpose they have authorised the publisher to say, that, so long as he continues to make his Magazine the decent repository of useful and ornamental Science, *excluding from it every indelicate, every party production, they shall hold themselves bound to lend him every assistance in their power; not only on those occasions when the judgment of a friend may be thought necessary, but in furnishing him* monthly *with some original performances.*

These are favours which gratitude calls upon him to acknowledge, as on this condition he hopes he shall long claim the protection and assistance so generously offered—being unalterably determined to conduct his Magazine upon a plan of the most extensive usefulness, and to admit nothing but what relates to the grand interests of Learning, Virtue, *and our common* Christianity.

R. AITKEN.

Philadelphia, Nov. 23, 1774.

FOR SALE,

ONE HALF of the STEEL FURNACE, at TRENTON, built of Stone, and in good Order. Also a LOT of GROUND adjoining, on which is erected a Frame Building.

A HOUSE, in MOUNTHOLLY, and large LOT, convenient for a Tan-yard, a Run of Water passing through it. The Payments will be made easy. For Terms, enquire of

‖ 5t. *Thest.* JOHN PEMBERTON, in Philadelphia.

TEN POUNDS Reward.

RUN away from the subscriber, an Irish servant man, who came in the snow Charlotte, Capt. Gaffney, about 6 weeks ago, a certain JOHN CAMPIN, by trade a Butcher, about 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, slender made, long visage, small legs, and hath a clumsy walk, wears his own short brown hair, which inclines to curl; had on, and took with him, a new large broad diamond check shirt, without buttons, a short brown jacket, without sleeves, a dark frize surtout coat, with a large cape to it, and another of black, with black horn buttons, one pair of blue worsted plush breeches, light coloured yarn stockings, generally not gartered, thick double soaled shoes, with large broad carved copper buckles, a small brimmed old hat, speaks quick and tolerable good English, given to liquor; it is supposed he is gone off with some of his shipmates, who may assist him in changing his clothes, and no doubt but he may change his name. The above reward, and reasonable charges if brought home, or secured in any of his Majesty's goals, paid by EDWARD BARRET, in Front-street, Southwark. *Philadelphia, August* 28, 1774.

All masters of vessels are desired not to harbour or carry him off. ¶

ISAAC & BENJAMIN CATHRALL,

Have for sale, at their store, at William Cooper's ferry, opposite Philadelphia,

A VERY large and general assortment of LINEN DRAPERY, which they have just opened, and would just observe to their kind customers, they are determined to sell only at a moderate profit.

N. B. They still continue their large and general assortments of GROCERIES; where innkeepers and others may depend on the best of liquors, and lowest prices. ¶ 5 W.

ALL Persons indebted to SAMUEL NEAVE, late of this City, Merchant, deceased, are desired to make Payment, to HARMAN and LEWIS; and those who have Accounts against him are requested to bring them in, that they may be adjusted and immediately paid.

REESE MEREDITH,
HUGH ROBERTS,
LUKE MORRIS,
JACOB HARMAN. } Execut.

6 w.
Philadelphia, October 8, 1774.

FIVE POUNDS for the Negroe, with reasonable charges, on delivering him at Philadelphia, and

TEN POUNDS for the Person who took him away, if convicted of the crime.

RAN away, about the 24th of June, 1774, from the subscriber, living in Philadelphia, a Negroe man, named CÆSAR, of a middling black colour, about 22 years of age, 5 feet 3 or 4 inches high, well made, with a long neck and falling shoulders, walks very upright, has bandy well made legs, with thick muscular calves, a large mouth and lips, is much inclined to laugh, and when he laughs shews much of his gums and teeth, is talkative and impertinent, with often an elevated voice, where he dares to make free, is insolent, and ready to box amongst his companions, and is fond of playing scraps of tunes on the fife. He having taken a Bristol pipe box, about two feet and an half long, with sundry clothes, may change his dress, but may have on either a mended cloth colour, or an old dark blue superfine cloth coat, a blue nap round about or sea jacket, lined with white flannel, and a red and white narrow striped ditto, green plush or black stocking breeches, remarkably narrow striped Irish ticken breeches and trowsers, thread stockings, &c. The above reward of £5. and charges, on delivering the Negroe at Philadelphia, and also the £10. on proving and prosecuting to conviction the person, who aided, assisted, or carried him off, will be punctually paid by PHILIP WILSON.

N. B. He is supposed to be gone to the West-Indies. He was born in Jamaica, lived at the Grenades with Thomas and James Lucas, who sold him to Captain Godfrey M'Donnell about the year 1766.

A NUMBER of JOHN REED's MAPS of the CITY and LIBERTIES of PHILADELPHIA, with a Book of Explanation, to accompany the same, is now to be sold by *ROBERT TUCKNESS*, Hatter, in Market-street, near the Sign of the Indian King. Price *Thirty Shillings*.

THE CONTENTS.

1. A copy of a release from Mr. Penn to one of the first adventurers. 2. Abstract of the concessions of Mr. Penn to the first adventurers and purchasers in Pennsylvania. 3. Ditto Mr. Penn's order to his commissioners. 4. A description of the first great town (when divided) then called the city and liberties. 5. Abstract of Mr. Penn's letter to the free society of traders in London. 6. Thomas Holme's description of the city of Philadelphia. 7. Abstract of a letter from Philip Ford in London, to Thomas Holme in Philadelphia, concerning the map of the city. 8. A copy of sundry original papers, to prove the bounds of the city according to Holme's plan. 9. Abstract of the charter of the city. 10. The reasons why the plan of the city was altered by Benjamin Eastburn, S. G. 11. The liberties granted to the first purchasers, and the courses of the same. 12. The number of acres granted to the purchasers, whose deeds recite the concessions, their proportion of liberty, the number of acres the liberties contain, what land the Swedes held in it, and what was sold by the proprietors. 13. Copies of sundry original papers, to prove the bounds of the liberties. 14. Abstract of complaint entered in the minutes of the Assembly. 15. The author's opinion of land, said to have been concealed in the liberties; and the reasons why he gave it. 16. An alphabetical list of the first purchasers, referring to the map by way of numbers; where every purchaser may see the quantity he purchased, and the lots appurtenant to the same, &c. 17. The courses and distances of all the surveys in the liberties; by which the map was made. 18. The date of surveys of all the lots in the city of Philadelphia, as far as Eighth-street from Delaware. 19. An explanation of some particular parts of the map, where perhaps the reader may not understand.

To be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

A PLANTATION, of 150 acres of good limestone land, lying in the Great-Valley, about 2 miles from the Sign of the White Horse, 28 from Philadelphia, and 20 from Chester; it having about 80 acres cleared, all well fenced and in good repair, also two good dwelling-houses, barn and stables, and other convenient out-houses, and about 20 acres of good watered meadow, and more may be made; also a good orchard; the whole well timbered and watered; the right is indisputable. Also 100 acres of land adjoining the said tract, being about one half cleared, and in good repair, about 10 acres of meadow, and a quantity more may be made; whereon is erected a dwelling-house and barn; a young thriving orchard; the whole well watered and timbered. The whole lying in West Whiteland township, Chester county. Any person inclining to purchase, may know the terms, by applying to RICHARD BULL, living on the premises. †

THREE POUNDS Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, living in Whitemarsh township, Philadelphia county, a German servant man, named *Francis Muchely*, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, pale complexion, brown hair, speaks but very little English: Had on, when he ran away, a lightish coloured cloth coatee, one red striped cotton jacket, buck-skin breeches almost new, a felt hat, a homespun half worn flaxen shirt, blue woollen stockings, and pretty good shoes, with brass buckles. Whoever secures the said servant, so that his master may have him again, shall have the above reward, and reasonable charges, paid by JOHN RICHARD. ¶

JOHN BATES,

PLATE IRON WORKER in general, from Birmingham, at John Duncan's, Hatter, opposite the Bunch of Grapes, in Third-street, near Arch-street,

MAKES tea-kettles, coffee-pots and saucepans, tinned; fish kettles, Dutch ovens and stew-pans, which are sweeter, wholesomer and cheaper than copper utensils, and are much used in London and most parts of England. He likewise makes oval, square and round dripping pans, ashes pails, fire rakers, cool scoops, pot covers, Dutch stoves and pipes, on the lowest and most reasonable terms; and puts new frying pans to old handles. He hopes to give the public satisfaction, not only by the neatness of his work, but by the dispatch with which he will endeavour to execute all favours they may please to confer on him.

N. B. He tins and mends copper tea-kettles and saucepans, and gives most money for old pewter. ¶

Imported in the last VESSELS from LONDON and BRISTOL,

AND TO BE SOLD, BY

SAMUEL RHOADS, JUNIOR,

At his Store, on the South Side of Pine-street, near the Bird-in-Hand Wharff, between Front and Penn-streets, almost opposite to John Brown's,

A GENERAL Assortment of IRONMONGERY, amongst which are the following articles, Three-penny, 4d. 6d. 8d. 10d. 20d. 2s. half-crown and deck nails; trunk, hob, clout, scupper, and pump nails; sprigs, tacks, tenter-hooks, brass nails and screws; wood-screws, coffin nails, screws and furniture; anvils, beak-irons, vizes, sledges, mill, cross-cut, pit, hand, woodcutters, tennon, pannel, grafting, and a variety of other saws; long and short frying-pans; brass kettles, brass and copper warming-pans; copper and iron tea-kettles; iron and brass chafing-dishes; japanned plate-warmers; bellows, fire-shovels and tongs; steel and brass chimney hooks; steel candlesticks, snuffers, extinguishers; roasting jacks, jack chains; quart and pint black jacks; beaf-steak tongs; chopping knives, grid-irons; coffee-mills, brass cocks; corks, cork-drawers, cork-screws, sugar-nippers, key-rings and swivels; flat and box irons; stands for ditto; a variety of stock, brass nob, ring locks and latches; closet, chest, horse, bag and pad-locks; TH and HL hinges, from 3 to 24 inches; strap, dovetail, table, brass, and other hinges; plane-irons, chissels, gouges, augers, rasps and files, of different sorts; brass lifting handles; brass handles and escutcheons, newest fashion, setts of tea-chest furniture; bed-screw covers; cloak pins; screw rings, curtain rings, sash fasteners, brass and wood sash pullies, screw ditto, sash and scale lines; large and small brass castors, sconces, brass knockers; night bolts, round and flat sliding bolts; house, horse, and cow bells; bell cranks, wire and handles; smiths, carpenters, and shoemakers hammers; bricklayers and plaisterers trowels; spike and other gimblets; awl handles and blades, tacks, shoeknives; carpenters and shoemakers pinchers and nippers; carpenters and coopers compasses; tap and bung borers; carvers gouges; carpenters and coopers adzes, coopers howels and croze irons; marking and pinking irons; hand vizes; scales and weights, large and small scale beams; large and pocket steelyards; ivory handled, buck, stag, shambuck, and buffaloe knives and forks; carving, pruning, butchers, cutteau, pen and other knives; butchers steels; razor straps, curling and pinching tongs; plated stirrups, bridle bits, and spurs; boot strapping, curry combs, horse brushes, horse fleams; curriers knives and steels; drawing knives, hay and straw knives; garden spades, shovels, garden and French hoes; wire, spring, wooden rat and mouse traps; brass dog-collars; sailmakers palms and needles; caulking irons; fishing hooks, Canada and common guns; gun barrels, locks, hammers; oil flints, bullet and swan shot moulds; cases of mathematical instruments; counting-house seals; brass dividers, scales, carpenters rules; pencil-cases and pencils; glue; steel in faggots, plate iron, sheet brass, bar lead, &c. Also, painters colours; 7 by 9, 8 by 10, 9 by 11, 10 by 12, 12 by 18, 13 by 19, and 14 by 20 crown glass; sizes of ditto; glaziers diamonds; painters pallet knives, and a variety of other articles.

OFFICE for SALE of REAL ESTATES,

at the Corner of Black-horse-alley, in Front-street.

TO BE SOLD,

A HOUSE and LOT of GROUND, on the west side of Front-street, next but one to Walnut-street; the lot is 27 feet in front, and 123 in depth.

One other house and lot, on the west side of Front-street, a little below Walnut-street; the lot is 18 feet 6 inches in breadth, and so continues to the depth of 120 feet, and then widens to the breadth of 28 feet 6 inches, and so continues the fruther depth of 26 feet, and then narroweth to the breadth of 12 feet 6 inches, and continues that breadth to the depth of 54 feet, has the privilege of two alleys, one leading into Front-street, the other leading into Walnut-street; the house is three story, well built, and in good repair, has a nursery, and large kitchen behind it, having good lodging rooms over the whole.

A house, lot, wharff, and stores, on the east side of Penn-street, a little below Pine-street; the lot is 25 feet 6 inches in breadth, including the half of an 8 feet alley, and extends in length into the river Delaware; the whole is now in good repair, and brings in a rent of 143 l. per annum.

A two story brick house and lot, also three frame houses and lots, on the north side of Walnut-street, all situate between Second-street corner and Walnut-street bridge.

The following very valuable Plantations and Tracts of Land, in Pennsylvania, viz.

A plantation and tract of 272 acres of land, on Buskill creek, about 3 miles from Bethlehem.

A tract of 138 acres of land, on Monocasey creek, above Bethlehem, remarkably well timbered.

One tract of patented land, on Jacob's creek, near where it falls into Yougheagany river, containing about 300 acres, exceeding rich land.

Four tracts of warranted land, in the Forks of Kishkomanety river, about 25 miles from Pittsburgh; one 391 acres, another 385 acres, another 275 acres, and the other 358 acres.

To be SOLD, or granted on groundrent for ever,

A good brick house and lot of ground, in the District of Southwark, is pleasantly situated, about ¼ of a mile from the city, and near the new market.

To be LETT on groundrent for ever,

Sundry lots on the north side of Branch-street.

Sundry lots on the east side of Fourth-street.

Sundry lots on each side of Third-street, between Race-street and Vine-street.

Sundry lots on each side of Vine-street, between Elm and Wood-streets.

Sundry lots on the north side of Pine-street, between Fourth-street and Fifth-street.

One lot on the north side of Story-street.

One lot on the south side of Story-street.

A number of lots on the east side of Third-street, between Walnut-street and Spence-street.

Two lots of ground on the south side of Lombard-street.

A number of lots in the District of Southwark, and several lots in the town of Richmond, in Kensington.

Plans of all which are to be seen at the above office.

JAMES HUMPHREYS,
THOMAS PROCTOR.

Sundry sums of money to be lett out at interest on good security in the city or county of Philadelphia. Enquire at the said office, where all business in the Notary and Conveyancing way is carried on as usual, by JAMES HUMPHREYS.

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